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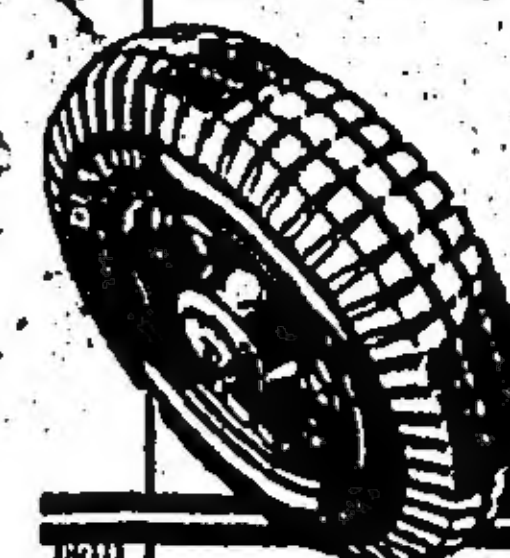
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TAIKOO SALVAGE SHIP CALLING FOR HELP

JAPAN ABROGATING NAVAL TREATY

BUT SEEKS ARMAMENT REDUCTION

PROHIBITION OF AGGRESSION

FOREIGN OFFICE STATEMENT

Tokyo, Oct. 17.
The Foreign Office to-day confirms Japan's intention to abrogate the Washington Treaty.

The Foreign Office adds, however, that the Government earnestly desires that the Washington Treaty should be substituted by a fair and reasonable treaty.

Japan, declares the Foreign Office, is determined to lead the way to a satisfactory agreement at the conference with Britain and the United States in London, beginning Oct. 20.

It is the intention of the Japanese Government's representatives to advocate the reduction of offensive armaments and the prohibitions of aggression or invasion, the Foreign Office asserts.—*Reuter*.

HOPEFUL OUTLOOK.

(Special to "Telegraph")

Plymouth, Oct. 16.
Mr. Norman Davis and Admiral Standley, the American delegates to the three-power naval conference in London, arrived here to-day.

Observers declare they are hopeful that the conversations may lead to a live-nation agreement between Great Britain, United States, Japan, France and Italy.—*United Press*.

OFFICIAL RECEPTION.

London, Oct. 16.

Representatives of the Admiralty and Foreign Office met Mr. Norman Davis and Admiral Yamamoto on their arrival in London this afternoon for the forthcoming series of bilateral naval conversations between representatives of the United Kingdom, United States and Japan.—*British Wireless*.

HEAVY PRESSURE ON REDS

SIMULTANEOUS PUSH ON TWO FRONTS

JUICHIN MENACED

Nanchang, Oct. 16.

The Anti-Red Headquarters announced to-day that the Government forces were carrying on operations with the utmost vigour against the Reds following the occupation of Hsingkuo.

The Government vanguard reached the environs of Juichin, the capital of the Chinese Soviet Government, yesterday.

Pressure is being brought against the Red capital both from the northern front in Kiangsi and western front in Fukien; where the East Route Anti-Red Army is renewing its attacks on Changting.—*Central News*.

Telegraphic information has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies that the funeral of His late Majesty the King of Yugoslavia will take place on Thursday. All flags on Government buildings and launches will be flown at half-mast from 8 a.m. to sunset on that day.



Mr. Norman Davis.

SEA FIRE TRAGEDY FINDINGS

NEGLIGENCE ON MORRO CASTLE

SHIP'S OFFICERS DENOUNCED

(Special to "Telegraph")

New York, Oct. 16.
The United States Steamboat Inspection Board has issued a scathing report following its investigation of the Morro Castle disaster, denouncing Chief Officer Warren, acting master of the vessel, and his four subordinate deck officers.

The Board has ordered all five men to appear before it on October 29 and show cause why their licences should not be suspended or permanently revoked.

The Board's report, signed by two inspectors, gives no cause for the disaster and fixes no responsibility for the fire which claimed 130 lives, but records the opinion that had the Morro Castle stopped and sent out a wireless distress signal when the fire was discovered, the loss of life would very probably have been lessened.

The report further recalls that the crew, after lowering themselves in the ship's life-boats, did not heed the cries for assistance from the passengers.—*Reuter Special*.

CREW CRITICISED.

New York, Oct. 16.

The Steamboat Services Inspection Board, inquiring into the Morro Castle tragedy, has ordered Acting-Captain Warren and his four subordinate officers before it on October 29 to show cause why their licences should not be revoked for negligence.

Had the Morro Castle halted and an S.O.S. been flashed as soon as the fire was discovered, the casualties would not have been so great, the Board finds in its report. The crew is criticised severely for dazing themselves and ignoring the helpless passengers.—*United Press*.

TRANSFER TO PANAMA.

Nanking, Oct. 17.

Mr. Hsin Chien-ting, Chief of the Asiatic Division of the Nanking Foreign Office, has been transferred to the post of Chinese Minister at Panama.

His old post will be filled by Mr. Tang Yu-jen, who is concurrently vice-minister of Foreign Affairs.—*Central News*.

CRUISER RUSHED TO ASSISTANCE

TAIKOO FIGHTING HER WAY IN WILD WEATHER

NINETY LIVES IN DANGER IN CHINA SEA

URGENT DISTRESS SIGNALS FROM THE TAIKOO DOCK-YARD AND ENGINEERING COMPANY'S SALVAGE TUG "TAIKOO" WERE RECEIVED IN THE COLONY THIS MORNING TO THE EFFECT THAT SHE WAS ENCOUNTERING EXTREMELY HEAVY WEATHER IN THE CHINA SEA AND ASKING PASSING SHIPS TO COME TO HER AID.

The Taikoo, which is commanded by Captain Thirwell, and has a crew of 90 aboard, has been visiting the scene of the wrecked City of Cambridge on the Pratas Shoal, but left there yesterday and apparently ran into typhoon weather.

Aboard the tug is Mr. T. H. G. Brayfield, of Messrs. Carmichael and Clarke, who was making the trip to the Pratas in the interests of insurance companies concerned.

ANOTHER C. E. R. DEADLOCK

Japan Unwilling To Guarantee Price

Shanghai, Oct. 17.

It is learned in Tokyo diplomatic circles that Soviet-Manchukuo negotiations for the sale of the C. E. R. have again come to a deadlock over the payment method.

The Japanese Government still insists that it is unnecessary for it to guarantee the purchase price.—*Central News*.

Murder Appeal Dismissed

"RATIONAL CONCLUSION"

The Court of Criminal Appeal this morning dismissed the appeal against the conviction and sentence to death of Ng Loi-yuen for the murder of Michael Pine.

In the course of a lengthy written decision, in which Mr. Justice Hadden concurred, Mr. Justice Jackson dealt with the whole of the points raised, and, in dealing with questions of fact, said the Court was of the opinion that apart from any evidence which Mr. Pine might have given, the evidence adduced at the trial was sufficient to enable the jury to arrive at their verdict.

"We consider," said Mr. Justice Jackson, "that it was the only rational conclusion they could have reached, and that there was therefore no miscarriage of justice."

In conclusion, Mr. Justice Jackson said:—"We have confined our attention to the points at issue put before us, and do not desire that our decision should in any way affect the strong recommendation for mercy made by the jury at the conclusion of the trial."

DUKE'S AUSTRALIAN TOUR

London, Oct. 16.

The Duke of Gloucester's visit to South Australia, where he has everywhere been received with enthusiastic demonstrations, ended to-day, when he left Adelaide for Melbourne in H.M.S. Sussex.—*British Wireless*.

In answer to the call for aid, H. M. S. Adventure, commanded by Captain W. H. Gell, D.S.O., left Hongkong this morning to go to the assistance of the tug.

The Taikoo, which had made two previous unsuccessful attempts to reach the stranded City of Cambridge, left again for the Pratas on Thursday morning, and after arriving safely on the scene, her mission was to report on the possibilities of saving the ship or her cargo.

First efforts to get alongside the City of Cambridge failed, but the tug remained at the scene until yesterday, when the weather became much worse and necessitated a move from the vicinity of the reef.

WORSE WEATHER.

The tug is stated to have intended making for Hainan Island in order to seek shelter, but apparently she ran into even worse weather, with the result that she sent out distress signals.

The message received this morning, shortly after seven o'clock, stated that very bad weather was being encountered and the tug asked for assistance from any ships in the vicinity. Her position was then given at Lat. 19, Long. 114.30.

On receipt of the news locally, the naval authorities were informed, with the result that it was decided to despatch the mine-sweeping cruiser, H.M.S. Adventure, to the aid of the distressed tug. The Adventure left at 9.30 a.m.

LABOURING BADLY.

Two messages have been received by the naval authorities from the distressed tug. The first stated that she was in danger and asked that passing ships might stand by.

A later message was to the effect that the Taikoo was labouring very heavily.

It is now known that the Taikoo left Pratas at noon yesterday, in an effort to make for Hainan, but that she later encountered typhoon conditions. In addition to the Chinese crew, there are at least three Europeans aboard the little craft, these being the master of the tug, the Dock Company's salvage expert, and Mr. Brayfield.

BRITISH FINANCES

EXPENDITURE STILL INCREASES

London, Oct. 16.

Exchequer returns for the past week show that during the current financial year the total ordinary revenue, exclusive of self-balancing revenue, amounted at October 13 to £295,448,800, which is £307,474 less than the amount collected at the corresponding date last year.

Expenditure of the same period, exclusive of self-balancing items, was £302,522,415, which exceeds the amount expended at the corresponding date last year by £28,005,875.—*British Wireless*.

CHINA TO BUY GOLD

But Remaining On Silver Standard

Washington, Oct. 16.

Sino-American correspondence published to-day discloses that China is considering the gradual introduction of a gold basis for her currency.

She has suggested the exchange of Chinese silver for American gold, it appears, at the same time emphasising that the country is determined to maintain the silver standard.—*Reuter*.

U.S. SEAMEN HELD FOR ASSAULT

UNION'S FEUD CARRIED ON

DOLLAR SHIP'S MEN INVOLVED

Shanghai, Oct. 17.

Friction between Un-on and non-Un-on seamen on the President Jefferson, which arrived here yesterday from Seattle, caused the removal of seven members of the crew to gaol last night.

It was learned that friction occurred first when the ship reached Yokohama. Fights broke out between the two factions, and one man was so seriously hurt that he had to be taken ashore to hospital in Japan.

Last night the ship's watchman was reported missing and a search disclosed his unconscious body rolled into the dark shadows of the wharf.

Another man was also knocked unconscious and two others were assaulted.

The master of the Jefferson called the U. S. Marshal in Shanghai who boarded the ship and held a parade, the four injured men identifying the seven who attacked them. The seven were arrested.—*Reuter*.

MR. EDEN'S TOUR

London, Oct. 16.

The Lord Privy Seal, Mr. Anthony Eden, who is on a visit to Denmark, was to-day received in audience by King Gustav and remained to luncheon.—*British Wireless*.

CIVILIAN SLAIN ON FRONTIER



Colonel Charles Lindbergh.

YUGO-SLAV GUARDS OPEN FIRE

HUNGARIAN SHOT DEAD

NEW DISPUTE NOW FEARED

Budapest, Oct. 16.

The border population is becoming most anxious owing to the Yugo-Slavian frontier guards' shooting of a Hungarian yesterday.

The Hungarian, Franz Konec, was shot dead when he accidentally crossed the frontier.

The incident is regarded as the outcome of the excitement in Yugo-Slavia following assassination of King Alexander.

In view of past frontier incidents, which led to disputes which the League of Nations considered earlier in the year, similar troubles are feared.—*Reuter*.

TERRORISTS ROUNDED UP.

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Melun, Oct. 16.

There was a dramatic moment at the police station here to-day when the head of the Yugo-Slavian police walked up to the man Malny, suspected member of the terrorist gang which murdered King Alexander of Yugo-Slavia, and who was arrested yesterday.

The Belgrade official scrutinized the prisoner for a few minutes and then identified him as a former chauffeur employed in Belgrade. Malny thereupon admitted that his real name was Mikroa, that he was born in 1908 in Yugo-Slavia.

He confessed that he had been under orders to shoot King Alexander and was beside the assassin Kalem, killed by police sabres, at the time of the crime. But he admitted that he was too frightened to participate in the actual killing.

Knowing that, by his participation in the assassination, he was liable to sentence of death, he did not rejoin his companions who were arrested just outside Marseilles two days after the murder.—*Reuter Special*.

CAREER OF TERRORISM.

Paris, Oct. 16.

The Belgrade police, in co-operation with the French authorities, have definitely established the identity of King Alexander's assassin, whose fingerprints have been found to correspond with those of Vladimir Georgevich Therozmanski, born in Macedonia in 1897, who became a member of the Macedonian terrorist organisation and who committed two Bulgarian political assassinations in 1924.

He was sentenced to death for these crimes in 1932 but was released in the general amnesty shortly afterwards, and then joined a Croat terrorist organisation.—*Reuter*.

IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong to-day:—*Atoll Queen*, *Tug Taikoo*, *Tacoma*, *Oving*, *Toncourt*, *Lisa*, *Varnager*, *Isamoon*, *Hydrangea*, *Katori Maru*, *Canton Maru*, *Kwanto Maru*, <

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TAKING CROSS TO DEVIL'S ISLAND

Former Prisoner In Role Of Messiah

DREADFUL YEARS IN CONFINEMENT

Paris, Sept. 23. Ullmo, the man who survived 26 blistering years on Devil's Island, is going back. But not alone; he goes with what he believes to be The Word. He thinks he's the Messiah, the second Christ.

The "affaire Ullmo" was the sensation of France in 1907, when the Dreyfus case began to settle down to the sort of routine which belongs to-day to the Slavsky scandal.

M. Benjamin Charles Ullmo, 26-year-old naval ensign, scion of a respected Lyons family, was trapped as the writer of a letter offering to sell back French military secrets which had come into his possession. If they were not sought back, according to the letter, they would be sold to a foreign power.

Ullmo admitted he had succumbed to temptation for the sake of a Toulon beauty, one Lison Welch—"La Belle Lison". Having spent on her his personal fortune, which was considerable, he had risked dishonour to keep her affection, and lost.

The young naval officer was sentenced to life banishment and sailed for Guyana July 17, 1908. Until 1923, or for fifteen years, he lived alone on a rock surrounded by shark-infested waters. The only men he saw were the guards who visited him twice a week. Dreyfus himself was the only other man to have suffered such a fate.

WORK ON MAINLAND

The government relenting in 1923, Ullmo was allowed to go on the mainland, where he hired out to a local industrialist. Guyana Prisoners often are authorized to work for planters or miners, earning thus a pittance which makes life for them more tolerable.

All the time, though he did not know it, several persons were working in France for his pardon. Outstanding among these was Madeleine Madeline Poirier, a Paris nurse, with whom eventually he had a voluminous correspondence.

The pardon finally came and Ullmo arrived in Paris on July 4, 1934. Ullmo gazed with interest but without excitement on the changes which a quarter of a century had produced in his homeland. He soon left Paris for a beach near Ostend.

Fifteen years of solitary confinement and twenty-six of broiling in the "land of the damned" had left an indelible mark on the spirit of this man who had thrown his life away in a moment of folly. He brooded in the Channel mist.

HEAR "THE CALL"

"The call" came a few weeks after Ullmo's return. A newspaperman who had been among those who worked for his pardon went to see him and returned to Paris with the extraordinary revelation.

"I am going back to Guyana in the fall," Ullmo said. "I am going to bring salvation to those who are there expiating their earthly sins."

Questioning brought out Ullmo's conviction that he is the Messiah. "Nineteen centuries have elapsed since the tragedy of Mount Olivet," he said. "That is the first sign. The Pope realised the knell had rung when he ordered the Holy Year of 1933. The Scripture says the Chosen One shall be son of David and a member of the tribe of Judas."

"My father's name was David. How can I prove that I come down from Judas? By the double treason, first to my faith, being an Israelite professing in the Roman Church, and second to my country."—United Press.

MAROCAIN SUIT

Trimmed With Deeper Shaded Silk

AUTUMN STYLES



Burnt-brick colour marocain suit, the coat stitched with silk in a deeper shade. Bow and beret of marocain in a shade to match the stitching.

DIET FOR AN INVALID

A person who is suffering from a sore throat, or who is recovering from an operation for the removal of tonsils, or who has had many teeth extracted, has to have food that is nourishing and very easily swallowed and digested.

Bread and milk, milky foods, beef tea, egg beaten up in milk, are ideas that at once occur to the mind. One wants to vary these items, and soups are good, and minced chicken or meat, vegetable purées, meat jellies, custards, junkets, milk puddings, etc., are other suggestions. Potato soup should have the potatoes thoroughly mashed. Onion soup should have the onions passed through a sieve; it is a good way of serving cheese, too, and thus providing protein; for grated cheese should accompany onion soup.

Mutton broth could be well simmered and then strained. To get as much nourishment as possible into the liquid, always simmer soup instead of boiling; and thus draw all possible good out of peas, beans, carrots, barley, sago, macaroni, or meat.

Baked custard should be varied. Make it savoury by adding a little meat extract, a small quantity of pounded fish, a little sieved tomato pulp, or some minced parsley and mint. When it is served sweet after the flavouring—cinnamon, nutmeg, vanilla, a little extra-strong coffee, a little pineapple juice, some grated chocolate, and a little brandy. Blancmange and junket can be served with mashed apples, prunes, or jelly. Prune jelly is excellent. Get the patient to take cream whenever possible, as it is pure nourishment.

MYSTERIOUS GAS "ATTACK"

VILLAGERS SUFFER ILL EFFECTS

The inhabitants of Willsbridge, near Bilton, Gloucestershire, dispatched a petition to the Ministry of Health regarding the chlorine gas fumes which have invaded many of their houses.

Mr. J. G. Ashley told a reporter of the effects of the fumes in his house. "The paint on my doors and windows is changing colour. Green paint is going grey, and cream paint is going black," he said.

"At night, when the air is still, the fumes are almost overpowering, and I have to get up and gargle my throat. Other members of my household are complaining

GERMAN FACTORIES FOR BRITAIN

WOMEN'S GOWNS AND OVERCOATS

RESTRICTION OF IMPORTS

Plans are nearly complete for 18 German firms, engaged in the making-up of women's gowns and coats, to establish branch factories in England. Nine factories will be situated in the City and West-End areas of London, and nine in the Manchester district. Work in some of the factories will begin this month, the precise dates being partly determined by seasonal requirements.

One firm has already set up its branch headquarters in Regent Street, W., and certain others have obtained premises elsewhere in London or Manchester. Negotiations are now proceeding on behalf of the remainder for the acquisition of suitable buildings. The assistance of the Manchester Development Committee has been sought in relation to sites in that city. Although the negotiations are being carried on more or less simultaneously and through one channel, each branch will retain its separate identity.

A number of limited companies have already been formed in this country by the parent firms. They are not being financed here or from Germany. Each concern has received permission from the German Government to send over from Germany goods to the value of 20,000 marks. That Government has also laid down various conditions regarding the financing and management of the branches designed to safeguard German interests concerning the amounts of German raw materials used, the effect on German employment, and in other directions.

IMPORT RESTRICTION

The opening of these factories is stated to have been decided on partly in consequence of the import restrictions now existing in relation to the British and other markets. It is intended to make-up certain special classes of goods with varying styles for each particular market, and of a kind hitherto produced only in Germany. The eighteen firms, all of which have their headquarters in Berlin, are in the aggregate responsible for a huge export business in made-up clothing. It is not intended to manufacture textiles here, but to confine operations solely to the making-up side of the industry.

Each branch will, in addition to workshops and other accommodation, have a large showroom for the use of wholesale buyers. All the machinery will be purchased in Great Britain, and Lancashire and Yorkshire textiles will be largely used. Certain kinds of material not obtainable in this country will be imported from Germany or elsewhere.

It is expected that, when the initial stages have been completed, the factories will provide increased employment among garment workers. Official permission has been granted for a number of German "key" workers to enter England for a limited period to train local employees, as the latter will be engaged on unfamiliar operations in which skill is required.

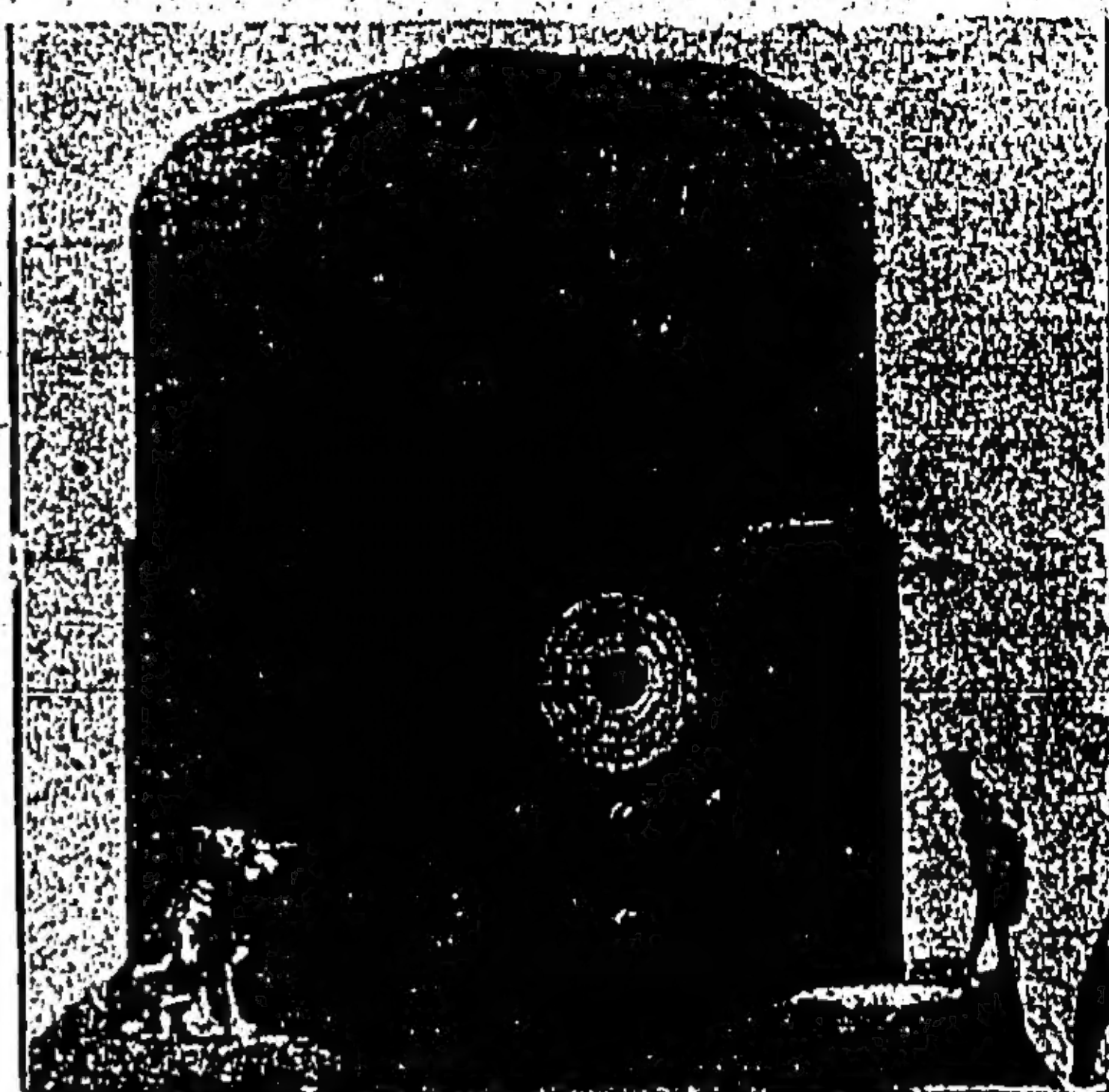
of irritation of the throat and eyes.

Similar conditions obtain in many other houses in the village. Mr. Ashley attributes the fumes to sprinklings of chloride of lime in the Willsbridge Brook, but the Sanitary Inspector, Captain W. H. Kneeb, states that as far as he knows no chloride of lime has been put into the brook.

Dr. T. Aubrey, the local medical officer, is also puzzled as to the origin of the gas. "There is no doubt," he said, "that this is chlorine gas."

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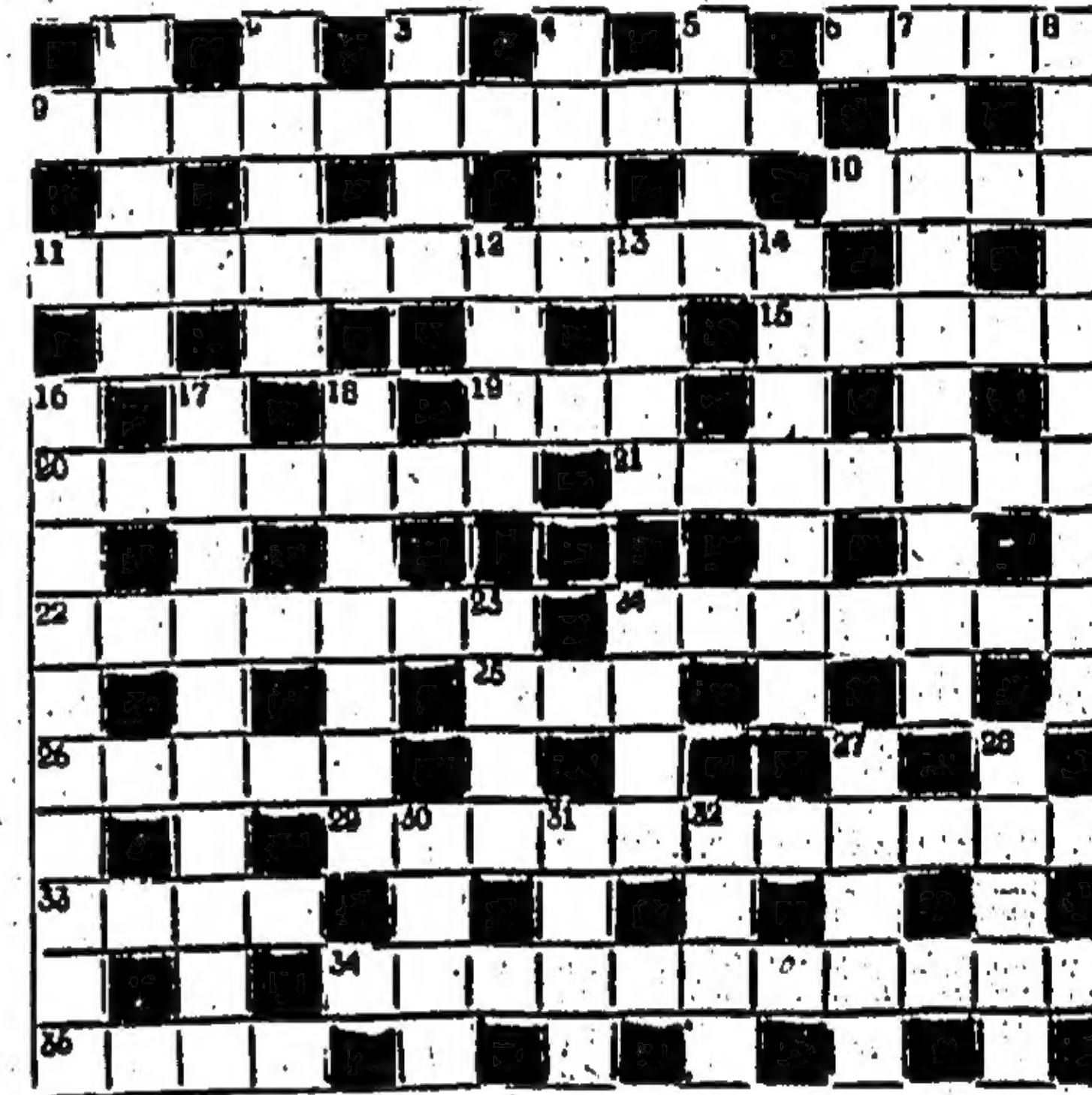
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- 8 "It is not ripe" may be its anagram but is surely not the cause.
- 10 Not a greeting to spring but a bit of Ireland.
- 11 Not a bit of a wardrobe as it sounds, but a fitting in any room.
- 15 The decapitation of a champion of loyal Ireland is a crime.
- 19 A metal or wooden tooth perhaps.
- 20 A poet shows the work of a fair laymaker.
- 21 One who appreciates the chief.
- 22 Just a matter of two lines.
- 24 "One drum" (anag.).
- 25 To be seen in a robin but not in a wren.
- 26 Here we seen a scientist or perhaps a house.
- 29 Not a delicacy named after a famous artist but future punishment (three words).
- 30 One of the early Quakers.
- 31 Telling in structure apparently.
- 35 A person of this is not necessarily famed as a musician.

Down

- 1 Eastern Scriptures that are saved in a muddled state.
- 2 The girl many card-players desire.
- 3 The bird that is of importance to the world M.P.
- 4 This way is a main road.
- 5 A fishy measure.
- 7 Modest.
- 8 A reverie suggests part of the colour scheme of a house (two words).

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SCOTT PAINE'S HEROIC RETIRING ACHIEVEMENT IN ITALY

A new world's record was established by Mr. Hubert Scott Paine, when he drove Miss Britain III. at an average speed of 177.185 k.p.h. (approximately 111 m.p.h.) over a measured mile at Venice.

This easily beats the late Sir Henry Segrave's speed of 92.68 m.p.h., and also beats Mr. Scott Paine's unofficial record of 102 m.p.h. established at Southampton last year.

Mr. Scott Paine actually covered the outward mile at a speed of 178.811 k.p.h. (approximately 112 m.p.h.), but he was slower coming back, his average being 175.560 k.p.h. (approximately 110 m.p.h.).

By having a mean average of 177.185 k.p.h. (approximately 111 m.p.h.) over the measured mile, Mr. Scott Paine broke the world's speed record for salt water, the world's single-engined boat record, the European sea mile record, and the Italian sea mile record. These records were previously held by the late Sir Henry Segrave with a speed of 92.68 m.p.h.

Mr. Scott Paine had a narrow escape from disaster when a seaplane landed across his bows.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Striking like a bullet across the water at 110 m.p.h., the wash of the seaplane struck Miss Britain as a hard ridge. She jumped four times into the air, and it was only a miracle that the boat did not break her back or overturn.

"If the boat had not been so strongly built," said her driver, "those jumps would have broken her back."

The spray almost blinded Mr. Scott Paine and his mechanic, Gordon Thomas, but the former suffered a more severe disfigurement. Each time the boat jumped, the back of the driving seat forced its way against the small of his back at the exact spot where it had received such a buffeting in the Harmsworth Trophy races last year. So great was the pain that the British driver was all but obliged to break off the attempt, but he pluckily stuck to it and thus gave his country more records and fresh prestige. He would, indeed, have made a further attempt had it not been for

made in 1929.

Only one record did Mr. Paine fail to beat, and that was the Volpi Trophy lap record of 123.624 k.p.h. (approx. 77.26 m.p.h.), set up in 1923 by Sir Henry Segrave.

Mr. Scott Paine's feat is all the more remarkable in that Miss Britain's engine is five years old and Mr. Scott Paine did not think he had sufficient room prior to the start to average over 100 miles an hour.

When one considers that the world record of 124.981 m.p.h., established by Commodore Garfield Wood, of America, was made with Miss America, a four-engined boat of 8,000 h.p., and that Miss Britain, with her single engine, is only of 1,375 h.p., one can readily see what a magnificent effort Mr. Scott Paine's was.

HIS LAST RACE

"This was my last race," said the British speed-boat racer. "I have definitely decided to retire from the game. I am, therefore, especially glad to have set up these new records, in particular the world's speed record for salt water. If our heritage means anything to us, the salt water record is surely the one which should be of particular importance to us."

"My object has been to show that we can use a petrol engine and drive a boat with a better performance than anybody else. And I think I have proved this. I want to see, however, more attention given to motor boat racing in England. We have concentrated on the air and land records, but have neglected sea records, which, feeling that we are a sea-going nation, is not good for our national prestige."

Mr. Scott Paine was the designer of Miss England II, the boat in which Sir Henry Segrave established what was then the world's water speed record, and he himself he raced against Gar Wood, the American, who holds the present speed record, at 124 miles an hour, in an effort to regain the Harmsworth Trophy.

At Detroit a year ago, in the second heat of the Trophy contest, Mr. Scott Paine was beaten by only 22 seconds by Gar Wood's craft, the engines of which developed seven times more power than the British boat.

MURDERED HIS SON

SENTENCED TO DEATH

SORDID CASE IN LONDON

Sentence of death was passed by Mr. Justice Atkinson at the Old Bailey, London, on Thomas Joseph Davidson (34), a poultry breeder, for the murder of his son, whose body could not be found.

"There is no doubt," the Judge said in his summing-up, "that this boy died while he was in the sole custody of the prisoner. No one else knows what happened."

After an absence of a quarter of an hour the jury found Davidson guilty. They recommended him to mercy on account of the condition of his mind at the time the crime was committed.

Asked if he had anything to say, Davidson replied firmly, "No, sir." Mr. Justice Atkinson, passing sentence of death, said that the recommendation to mercy would be sent to the proper quarter, together with any extenuating circumstances there might be in the case.

Davidson showed no emotion, but stood erect as sentence was passed. He seemed as if about to say something, but the warder tapped him on the shoulder and he left the dock.

Mrs. Davidson was not present in Court, and was told of the verdict in the hall outside by a friend.

Davidson had pleaded not guilty to the murder of his eight-year-old son, John Desmond Davidson, and the prosecution alleged that after the boy disappeared from Hanwell, Middlesex, in December last the father made repeated statements that he had killed him and put him on a burning refuse dump. If he had done that the body would have completely disappeared.

It was stated that he had not been on good terms with his wife and had made repeated efforts to get her back with him. In an alleged statement he said that when he failed to get her back he had no further interest in life, took the boy to a canal, and jumped in with him. When he got out he found that the boy was dead and took him to the dump. Later when he went back for the body it had been covered and he could not find it.



M. Max Reinhardt, famous theatrical producer, is to give America "A Midsummer Night's Dream." He is shown here with Miss Shearers, screen actress.

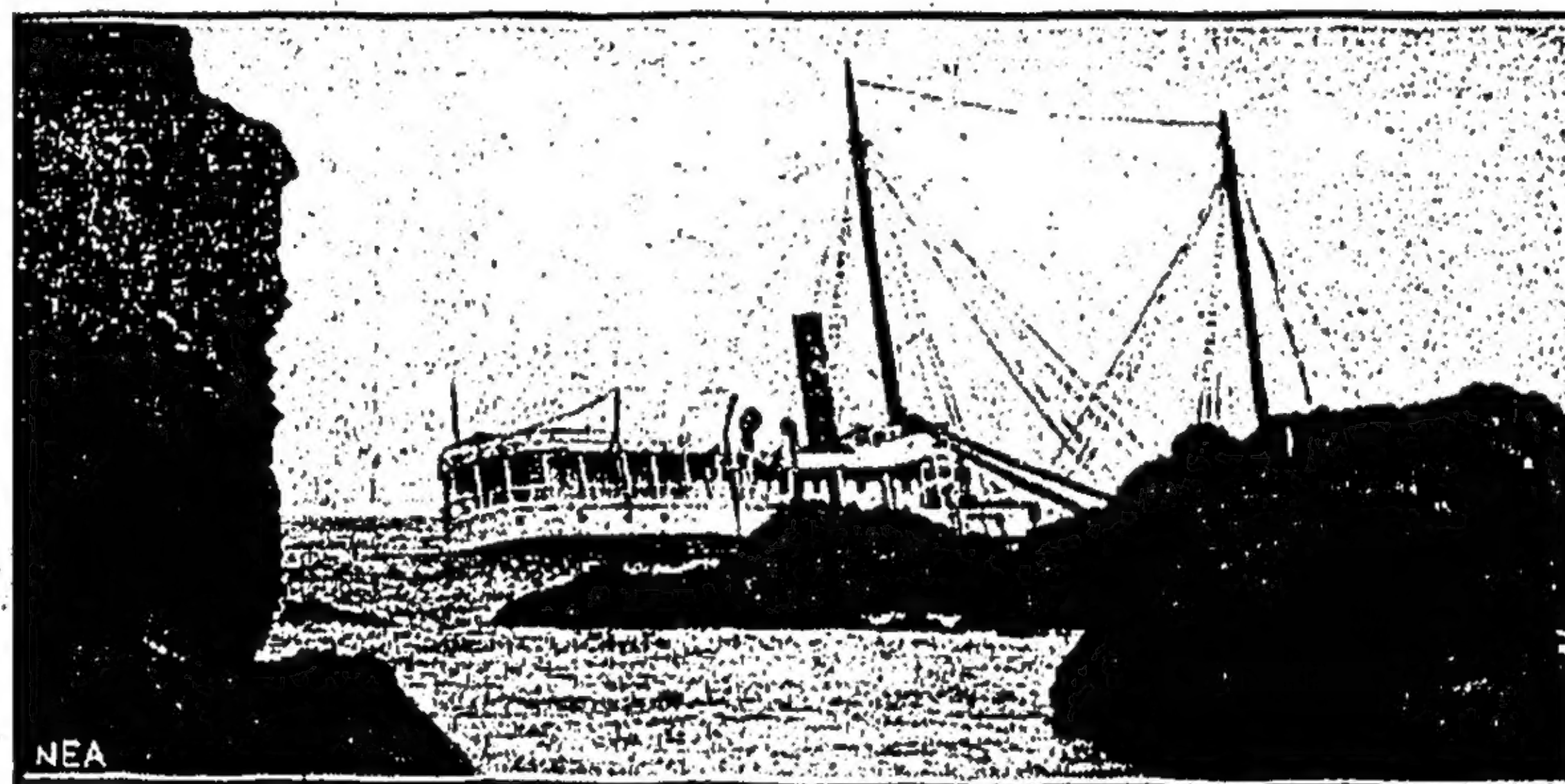
GRAIN LAND NOW DESERT

PLAN TO DIVERT RIVER

CANADA'S GRAVE PROBLEM

Ottawa, Oct. 1.

The reclamation of millions of acres of what was formerly the world's finest wheat land, now a desert of dry, powdery, windblown



The battered lumber schooner J. B. Statton, shown hard aground on a rocky reef off the Monterey county, California, coast. The vessel crashed in a dense fog and was abandoned after a hopeless fight to free it from jagged rocks. A crew of 21 men was brought ashore by Coast Guards.

soil, is engaging the attention of the experts of the Dominion Government, and of the Governments of the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta.

Sixty per cent. of Saskatchewan's vast cultivated area has been dried out, and 40 per cent. will not produce a marketable crop this year. In thirteen municipalities in Southern Manitoba a million acres has been drought-stricken. The dry area in Alberta exceeds 2,000,000 acres.

In some districts there has been no real rain for five years. There are horses and cattle who have never felt the patten of the rain on their backs or munched away at rain-washed pasture. The plagues of grasshoppers have denuded great expanses of country. Russian thistle, spreading north from the United States (whence the grasshoppers also migrated) were cursed as weeds and now provide the only feed for cattle in many districts.

The humus has gone from the soil and the problem is to restore it and provide some binder that will hold the soil together. Attempts to restore it to its prairie state, suitable for ranching, have failed: the grasses cannot catch. Proposals for reforestation and afforestation have met with the fundamental need of the trees themselves for moisture. The poplar bluffs which dot the prairies are dying off, and the sloughs, with their frog-inhabited waters, have dried up.

Plans have been made to relieve distress and feed the impoverished farmers, provide seed for next year's problematical crops, and cure for millions of half-starved cattle. Farmers who five years ago were prosperous are now on relief. One striking proposal is that the waters of the South Saskatchewan river be diverted to the dried watercourses of the south. The northern areas, well-treed, are bountifully supplied with rivers and lakes.

NEW ZEALAND TO BENEFIT

AUSTRALIA LOSING ENGLAND MARKET

QUARREL OVER TARIFFS

Manchester, Sept. 23.

Long-suffering Lancashire has at last exploded with indignation—the cause being the discovery that the Commonwealth of Australia, in disregard of the spirit of the Ottawa Agreements, proposes to erect a prohibitive tariff against Lancashire's cotton goods.

Feeling in Lancashire has run so high at this unexpected blow from one of the Dominions that many are urging a "boycott" of Australian dairy products, unless the offending clauses are withdrawn. The association of grocers in the mill town of Bolton have already agreed to handle no Australian produce until the tariff is withdrawn. This movement is spreading.

The cotton mills themselves have taken no part in the proposed "boycott" but they have sent an influential deputation to the Board of Trade in London and to the Australian High Commissioner.

Exports to Australia are vital to the trade in cotton piece goods. During the six months ending June 30, exports to that Dominion, at £1,785,662, ranked second only to the exports to the vast population of India, at £3,780,441. Argentina came third as a customer, with £1,493,128.

TARIFF DEMANDED.

But Australia has a lusty "infant industry" which demands a tariff



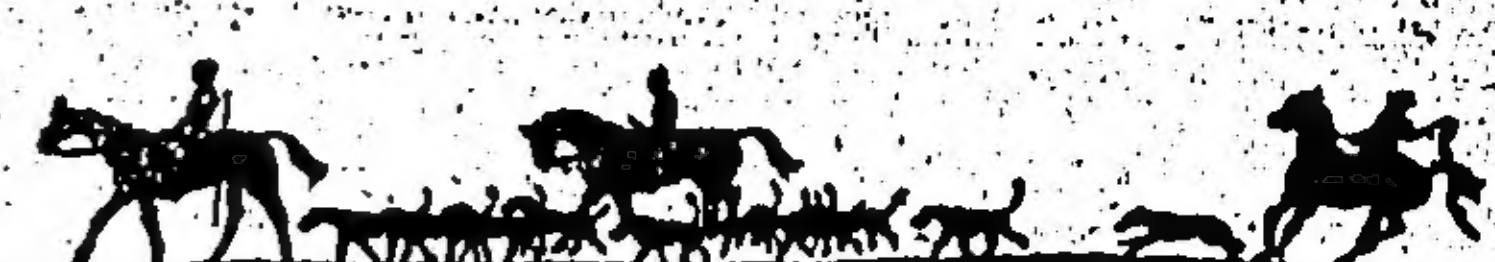
To raise the treasure aboard the "Lutina," which sank 113 years ago, this weird gear has been built.

3,000 and 12,000 bales of cotton per annum.

But this combination of mills and growers has the ear of the Australian Labour Party. The argument submitted to the Tariff Commission was to the effect that if Australia went no further than Canada and provided for only two-thirds of its consumption, Queensland could market at home 200,000 bales of cotton, employing 20,000 farmers and 95,000 pickers.

This view appears to have carried the day, and the tariffs on certain lines which the four mills produce have been increased 100 per cent.

Perhaps the most serious aspect of the situation is its repercussion upon the relations between the Mother Country and the Dominion, especially during the forthcoming Imperial Conference. New Zealand, in its anxiety to sell its dairy



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CRAIGENGOWER CRICKET CLUB LAWN BOWLS CLOSING DAY.

Members are reminded that, weather permitting, the Lawn Bowls Closing Day and "At Home" will be held on Sunday, the 21st October, 1934. Presentation of Prizes and Tea Dance.

U. M. OMAR,
Hon. Secretary

HONG KONG CRICKET CLUB NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on THURSDAY, the 25th October, 1934, a drawing for the redemption of thirty (30) Debentures will be held in the Pavilion at 6 p.m.

The numbers of the Debentures drawn will be published in the Hong Kong Government Gazette and the local Newspapers, and holders of drawn Debentures may, upon giving notice to the Treasurer, within the six months' notice to which they are entitled, apply on the 31st October, 1934, to the Treasurer, Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth & Fleming, for payment of the Principal and Interest to the 31st October, 1934.

By Order of the Committee,
L. S. GREENHILL,
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Hongkong, 15th October, 1934.

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NANKING-CANTON ANTI-RED PLAN

Canton, Oct. 16. It is officially learned that General Chan Chai-long, Commander-in-Chief of the Cantonese Armies, has reached an agreement with General Lo Chek-ying on certain fundamental measures relative to Canton-Nanking co-operation in carrying out the last stage of the anti-Red campaign.

General Lo Chek-ying, Commander of the 18th Army Corps, arrived here by air from Hankow on October 10 for the specific reason of discussing this matter with the Canton military leader.

General Chan Chai-long has summoned General Yu Hion-mao and General Yi Yang-ching to Canton in order to continue advanced discussions with General Lo Chek-ying on the details of the Canton-Nanking co-operation in respect of anti-Red work.

There are now only three or four districts, including Juichin and Hui-chang remaining under the control of the Reds.—Central News Agency.

Dr. Wang in Canton

Canton, Oct. 16. Dr. Wang Chung-hui arrived here this morning from Hongkong. He told pressmen that the Central Government was anxious to secure full support from the South in order to work out national unification, in tidying the country over the recent crisis.

He added that when he interviewed Mr. Hu Han-min in Hongkong, the question whether the latter would proceed to Nanking to attend the Fifth National Congress of the Kuomintang was not raised.—Central News Agency.

AIR MAILS

GROWING POPULARITY AT HOME

London, Oct. 16. During the quarter ended September 30, 71,220 pounds of letter air mails were carried from Britain, as compared with 54,720 pounds in the corresponding quarter of 1933.

This is an increase of 30 per cent, and represents about 330,000 more letters.—British Wireless.

EARL OF CORK PASSES

ADMIRAL BOYLE TAKES TITLE

London, Oct. 16. The death is announced to-day of the Earl of Cork and Orrery, aged 70. The heir to the Earldom is his cousin, Admiral Sir William Boyle, Commander-in-Chief of the Home Fleet since last year.—British Wireless.

The Hongkong Branch of the English Association will commence its activities for the session 1934-35 by holding a general meeting in the Holman Play Institute on Tuesday, November 6. This first meeting will be devoted to a statement of accounts, election of office bearers and a lecture on "Naive Prose" by Mr. G. Sims, M.A. The Association has been fortunate in securing promises for lectures from many well-known public speakers in the Colony.

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Nanking, Oct. 16. The Executive Yuan has accepted the resignation of the Governor of Sinkiang, General Liu Wenlung.
Li Yung, at present a member of the Sinkiang Provincial Government has been appointed his successor.—Reuter.

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Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 20th September	Chitral	October 18.
and Parcels, 13th September	Kitano Maru	October 18.
Australia and Manila	Tantalus	October 18.
Shanghai	Comorin	October 19.
Japan, Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 27th September)	Eumaeus	October 19.
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OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
	Wednesday.	
Swatow	Seistan	Wed., Oct. 17, 3 p.m.
Amoy	Taiyuan	Wed., Oct. 17, 8.30 p.m.
Amoy	Kulsang	Wed., Oct. 17, 5 p.m.
Formosa	Tai Ping Yang	Wed., Oct. 17, 5 p.m.
	Thursday.	
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Doll Maru	Thurs., Oct. 18, 8.30 a.m.
Straits	Van Heutsa	Thurs., Oct. 18, 9.30 a.m.
Foochow via Swatow	Hunan	Thurs., Oct. 18, 1.30 p.m.
Sandakan	Hinsang	Thurs., Oct. 18, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs., Oct. 18, 3 p.m.
	Friday.	
Manila, Australia and New Zealand	Parcels	Fri., Oct. 19, via Thursday Island
(Due Thursday Island, 30th October)	Reg.	Oct. 19, 8.45 a.m.
	Letters	Oct. 19, 9.30 a.m.
Japan	Kitano Maru	Fri., Oct. 19, 9.30 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Chitral	Fri., Oct. 19, 10.30 a.m.
*Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, and *Europe via Vancouver, B.C. (Parcels for Canada only) and *Europe via Siberia	Emp. of Canada	Fri., Oct. 19.
(Due Vancouver, B.C., 7th Nov.)	Reg.	Oct. 18, 5 p.m.
	Letters	Oct. 19, 10 a.m.
Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kingyuan	Fri., Oct. 19, 1 p.m.
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7 p.m. Big Ben. The Scottish Radio Or-
chestra, directed by Guy Daines.
Waltz, "Prison Ballade" (Tchaik-
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Intermezzo (Boellmann). Heroic
March (Lohengrin). Suite at
the Palace (L'Enfant Prodigue)
(Debussy). Suite, Hamouna
(Honegger).

7.30 p.m. Talk: Mr. James Jones.
7.50 p.m. Quentin Mason at the Organ
of the Truro Cathedral, Truro,
Cornwall, England.

Greenwich Time Signal at 11 noon.
8.30 p.m. Charles Hanning and his Or-
chestra. Relayed from the
Granada, Walthamstow.

9.15 p.m. Variety: Wally Lewis (Com-
edian), Margaret Allan (Soprano),
Alastair Blair Kerr (Violin),
James Clark (Baritone),
Pete Allen (Saxophone). Relayed
from the Model Studio, the Scot-
tish National Radio Exhibition,
Waverley Market, Edinburgh.

9.45 p.m. The News.
10 p.m. Close Down.

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11.20 p.m. Talk: "Under Big Ben." Mr.
Howard Marshall.

Greenwich Time Signal at 1.45 p.m.
11.45 p.m. The Birmingham Municipal
Orchestra. Conductor: Sir Dan
Godfrey. Relayed from the Pavil-
ion, Birmingham.

12.30 a.m. A Violin Recital, by Lella
Hermilage, Sonata in A (Händel),
arr. Jenson. Intrada (French,
18th Century, arr. Moffat).
Sicilienne (Paradis, arr. Dur-
bin). The Four Dances (Old Dan-
ish Air, arr. E. Reeves). La Pasadilla
(Mexican Folk Song, arr. Fred
Wein). Capriccio (D. M.
Stewart).

1 a.m. The News.
1.15 a.m. The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra,
directed by Henry Hall.

1.45 a.m. Close Down.

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2 a.m. Big Ben. The News.
2.15 a.m. English Variety.
2.30 a.m. "The Princess."

Greenwich Time Signal at 7 p.m.
3 a.m. The Wireless Military Band. Con-
ducted by H. Walton O'Donnell.
Aubrey Millward (Baritone), Band.
Trumpet Overture (Mendelssohn,
arr. Gerald Williams). Aubrey
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3.45 a.m. A Rising Orchestral Concert.
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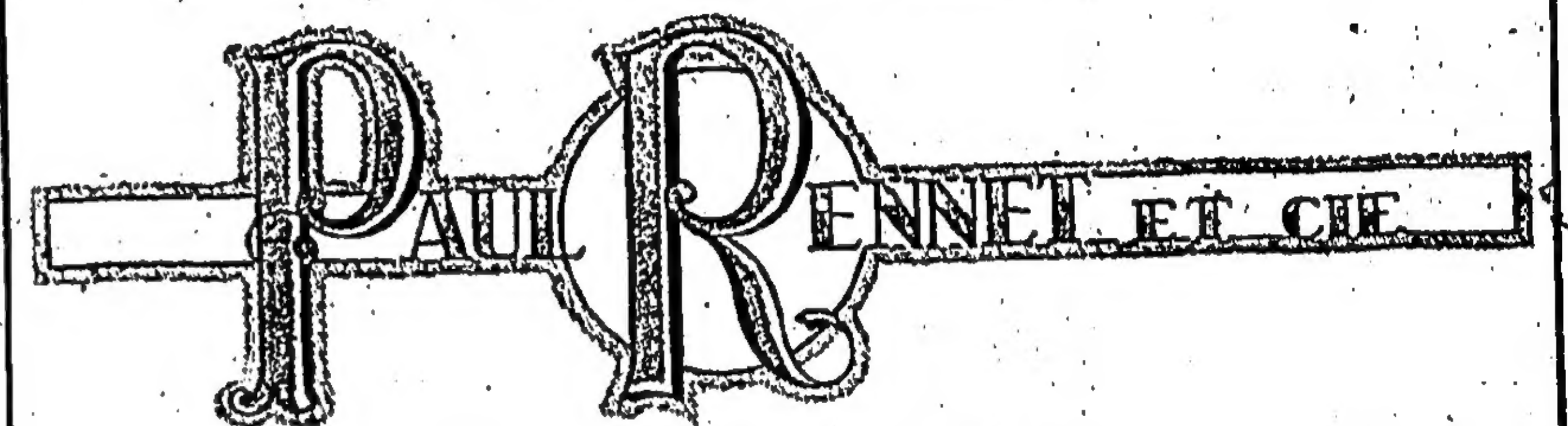
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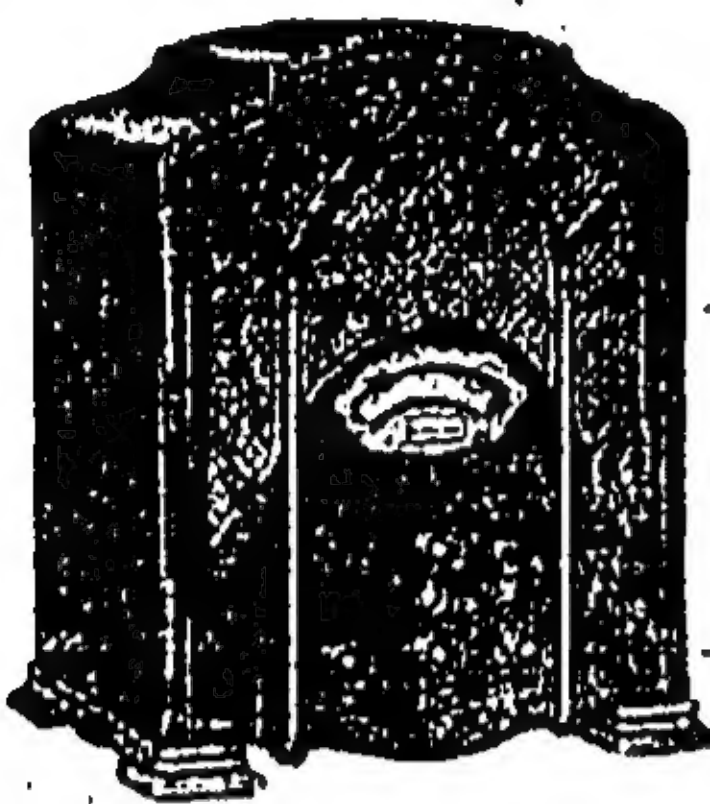
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STREET SLEEPERS' APPEAL

The appeal which has been launched for a minimum sum of four thousand dollars to permit of the expansion of the work of the Street-Sleepers' Shelter Society is one which should meet with a ready response. It is not too much to say that this Society is discharging one of the most humane and essential pieces of social work ever undertaken by any organisation in the Colony. Until it began its self-imposed task, it was a standing reproach to the whole Colony that night after night, during the cold winter weather, hundreds of poor people should be found huddled up on pavements and such other spots as they could find in which to pass the hours of sleep. For many years, with each successive cold season, the plight of these unfortunates was the subject of passing comment, but the difficulties of dealing with the problem which they presented were so magnified as to result in general acceptance of the viewpoint that nothing could really be done in the matter. Thanks, however, to a few ardent souls who refused to be discouraged by the admitted obstacles, a start was eventually made by adaptation of the old St. Peter's Church as headquarters, and the experience thus gained has proved once and for all that the problem can be tackled with a large measure of success. The Society admits quite frankly that it has so far been able to touch only the fringe of the question, but it has been so encouraged by the results already obtained that it has laid plans for the provision of another shelter in a locality in which a census has shown that there are usually over five hundred street sleepers nightly. But this is only part of its scheme. The eventual hope is to establish shelters in various other districts, until the time comes when street-sleeping will be a thing of the past. A point which needs stressing is that these people, who are being given needed shelter in clean and comfortable surroundings, are genuine residents of the Colony for the greater part. They are mostly unemployed, either through old age or inability to get work, and are most appreciative of what is being done for them. The old bogey that the opening of such institutions would attract 'ne'er-do-wells' from places outside the Colony has been shown to be only a bogey, a fact which is demonstrated by the enquiries made from Canton and Swatow as to how the shelters are worked, so that similar institutions may be

NOTES OF THE DAY

ANOTHER SCARE

Vienna has had another scare. It was learned, by intercepting Communist plotters' messages, that a putsch was being planned, and troops and police were hastily sent to various points in the city, armed with machine-guns. The authorities are taking no chances. And no wonder! Austria has had two civil wars within the year and two more embryo rebellions have been nipped. With the tension between Yugoslavia and Hungary developing, following the assassination of King Alexander, and the rivalries of other powers in the Balkans, the state of mind in Vienna are not always easy in their minds. With Dr. Kurt Schuschnigg as Chancellor and his skilful diplomacy, and Prince von Starhemberg as chief of the Heimwehr and ready to meet trouble with a most unpleasant remedy, Austria should be able to keep her house in order, and there is little likelihood of danger arising from that point as it did during the Nazi revolt in July.

ANOTHER STORY

Between Yugoslavia and Hungary, however, relations are strained. Yugoslavia's warlike people are in no mood for argument. They have just lost a king whom most admired and respected, of whatever party they might be, and they have laid the blame with some justice—at Hungary's door. They declare that the terrorists who plotted the assassination of King Alexander sheltered on Hungarian soil, and in this they are correct. But the charge that the terrorists' activities were tolerated and winked at by the Hungarian Government is another matter. That has yet to be proved. It is to be hoped that the response to the Belgrade protest to Budapest will be of the variety that "turneth away wrath."

A POET

That imagination and the mathematical mind may be co-existent in a single brain has been recalled by the erection recently of a canopy over the tomb of Omar Khayyam, at Nishapur, Persia. English-speaking people are familiar with this duality in the case of "Lewis Carroll," author of "Alice in Wonderland," and Rev. C. L. Dodgson, for many years mathematical lecturer at Oxford and writer of mathematical works. They are one and the same personality. Dodgson's "Euclid and His Modern Rivals," his most noted book, is the obverse side of the whimsical romances of the whole "Alice" series. The Persian poet, whose fatalism has been made so attractive in Fitzgerald's beautiful lines, was also a mathematician. Like Dodgson, he knew his Euclid. Indeed he was one of the most prominent of mathematicians of his age, and blazed the way to the modern union of analysis and geometry by his classification and systematic study of equations. From the brain that was full of conics, cubics, quadratics, biquadratics and the like, came the compelling thought:

The moving finger writes; and having writ
Moves on. Not all your piety
Nor wit
Can lure it back to cancel half a line,
Nor can your tears wipe out a word of it.

AND MATHEMATICIAN

It is one of the ironies of literature that Omar's countrymen, probably because of clerical influence which considered him a heretic, have long forgotten his verse, while remembering his mathematical and astronomical researches. When the late Sir Mortimer Durand, according to *The Manchester Guardian*, asked Shah Naar ed Din whether something could not be done to repair Omar's grave, the monarch laughed and said: "Do you mean to tell me that there is a society in England connected with Omar Khayyam? Why, he has been dead a thousand years. Besides, we have better poets than Omar." Englishmen, however, who may not know the Persian scientist love the music of the "tent-maker's" verse. They may have never heard of Dodgson the mathematician but have taken to their heart Lewis Carroll, the dreamer.

provided in these cities. It is also to be noted that the Society has been able to find work for some of the most deserving cases, and as its activities are extended it will doubtless be found possible to do even more still in this direction. A word of tribute is due to the volunteers workers and others actively interested in the movement, but their greatest satisfaction arises from the knowledge that they are discharging a really useful piece of communal work. It is now for the public to do its part by providing the means without which the Society will be unable to function to the full extent of its intentions and desires.

PUT LAND TO USE AND MEN TO WORK

By RICHARD ST. B. BAKER

The author of this article is chairman of the Forestry Association, of Great Britain and founder of The Men of the Trees. Describing the big forestry work inaugurated by President Roosevelt under N.R.A., he pleads for a forestry scheme for Britain, to provide healthy employment for thousands who are out of work.

TO the man who enjoys three square meals a day it may or may not be of concern that there are thousands for whom life offers no prospects in their old occupations. Tens of thousands more, leaving school, and not knowing where to look for employment, are suffering from moral and physical deterioration.

To them and those concerned in their future welfare, news of the success of the Forestry Camps of America may bring fresh hope and even suggest to our own Government a means of providing immediate employment for many.

My work as Forestry Adviser in America enables me to speak from personal experience of the forestry work inaugurated by President Roosevelt. After his inauguration, one of his first measures was the establishment of a volunteer civil conservation corps of young men, and this proved to be one of the most popular schemes carried through under the New Deal.

I have seen these young men living very close to nature and camped mostly in the wildest places, for it is usually in such places that the forest can best be improved. Here in the woods their meals were in the open, even in pouring rain. They had to fetch and carry water, and cut wood for fuel. Except for their daily ration they were dependent upon themselves for everything.

Healthy? Of course they were healthy, both in mind and body. More than that, they were creative. They had hewed a home from the wilderness and were carrying out work of national importance.

They were thinning and improving the forests of their land, cutting fire lines for protection, and planting trees not only to produce timber, but to conserve moisture and reduce the risk of droughts.

To-day there are over 350,000 of them working in the woods. Ask any one of them whether he would change his life for city lights and he would laugh at you—he simply would not be in camp unless he wanted to be. There are many more applications than vacancies.

Do they work? Judge for yourself when I tell you that this army of woodmen and foresters has in the course of one year saved over £45,000,000 worth of

forest from being lost by fire. They have improved 5,000,000 acres by thinning, clearing and other means, and over 300,000 acres have been freshly planted with trees. In addition, campaigns against tree diseases and harmful insects have been carried out on 10,000,000 acres.

More important, however, than material gains is the effect of such work on moral. I believe that in England to-day the overwhelming majority of unemployed who are now walking the streets and receiving relief would infinitely prefer to work like the lads in the forest camps of America. They would like to plant up those derelict-looking slag heaps which scar the face of the land and turn the Black Country into beautiful forest scenery.

Forestry is of urgent importance to England now. Although we have beautiful trees, our country is very badly off for forests. During the war four-fifths of our woodlands were sacrificed. That is having an adverse effect on our water supply. At the present rate of planting it will take 140 years to regain the position held before the war.

Furthermore, in a single year we have paid to foreign countries over £70,000,000 for timber, much of which might have been grown at home, providing work for thousands.

The Forestry Association of Great Britain is supporting a plan for a nationally-conceived scheme to give employment to 20,000 people in forestry on three million acres of waste land, half of which is in England and Wales and half in Scotland. What is the reason why this plan should not be put into operation at once? It has been calculated that every day this plan is postponed the loss to the nation is over £200,000 in timber which might be growing on these three million idle acres and producing this value of timber daily.

Before the war there were about 40 uses for wood. To-day there are over 4,000 uses for forest products in one form or another. The U.S.A. had cut seven-eighths of its virgin forest and while it is already—Canada's—largest customer, it is now being driven back on Russia for supplies, and that country, at the present rate of cutting, will deplete its accessible forests in thirty or forty years.

In view of the present world situation it would be unwise to continue to depend so greatly upon other nations to supply our needs. Although we are no longer dependent upon "Wooden Walls" as bulwarks of defence, nevertheless wood still plays an important part in our national safety. It has been well said that if a nation saves the trees, the trees will save the nation.



"And we'll send him to some swell college, where we can drive to on week-ends."

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A DOG'S LIFE

By George

DEAR GEORGE, As a Peakite of considerable longevity I wish to draw your attention to the attempts being made by our local magistrates to disparage the status of Peak Dwellers and Their Dogs.

I refer, Sir, to the invidious practice of imposing a fine of \$15 on dogs which commit offences on the Kowloon side as against a mere \$10 fine on this side.

The Secretary of the Dear Dogs Society has asked me to say that we on this side feel rather piqued at the distinction.

Is it meant to be a slur on the quality of the dogs on this side? If so I may point out that many residents are proud of the fact that their pets have a longer pedigree than their owners in many cases, whereas a Kowloon dog's pedigree is no longer than a gaschund.

May I beg, Sir, for the discontinuation of a practice which, while it promotes bad feeling between the inlander and the clerk also aims a blow at the social status of the canine population on this side.

In the meantime an attitude of passive resistance is being maintained here, the dogs refusing to leave the house except for the most necessary purposes.

I enclose \$50 collected from Peak dwellers as a donation to the S.P.C.A. and trust that the public will not allow matters to remain where they are at present.

Yours etc.,

S. Paniel.

DUMB-BELLES LETTRES.

By Juliet Lowell.

High-Low!

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Received my book for month of August.

Would like to no if I can get another book as this month's book seems to be too large for an ordinary library. It doesn't make a difference how thick a book is but the height of it, what's bad.

Yours truly,

Adolph C.

(signed)



This month's book seems to be too large for an ordinary library.

Reverse Order.

Dear Congressman F.— My very heartfelt congratulations on your election to the Senate. You are the first to achieve the honour of going direct from prison to Congress. It is usually the other way around.

Cordial greetings,

Malcolm B.

(signed)

That's Bound To Make Husband Blue.

Household Hints Column

Dear Editor!

My husband always finds fault with my blueberry pie. Would you send me a recipe? I don't know what's wrong with mine unless perhaps I put in too much bluing.

Thanking you in advance,

Mrs. Cora B.

(signed)

You'd Be Surprised!

Fashion Column

Dear Fashion Editor:

Fashionable people are always ahead of the styles. I have an organdy dress, would it make me fashionable to wear it New Year's Eve?

Thanking you for a reply,

Cordella B.

(signed)

Time Out.

Pearl Howard Dress Shop

17 East 65th Street

New York City

I was in your shop about three years ago, and made a \$5.00 deposit on a dress. There was some alteration but I forgot to come in for a fitting. Please send me the money as I can use it now.

Myra B.

(signed)

GREAT NEW BANK STONE-LAYING

SIR WILLIAM PEEL TO OFFICIATE
AT SIMPLE CEREMONY

MARKING ANOTHER ERA OF PROGRESS

The laying of the corner-stone of the new Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation headquarters to-day, by his Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, marks the commencement of another era of progress in the life of this great organisation. The building, on the old City Hall site, will be of magnificent proportions. Its great steel skeleton already is sufficiently advanced to indicate its size and a promise of grandeur to come.

The site on which the new building is being erected has been referred to as the finest in the Colony of Hongkong, and the building now being erected will be worthy of the site. The building covers the site of the old Bank and, in addition, that of the Theatre Royal and Wardley Street, and extends the full width of Statue Square.

The main axis of the new building is centred on the Queen Victoria Memorial, situated in the centre of Statue Square, and the building has been designed to provide a fitting background to the Square.

The frontage to Des Voeux Road is 247½ feet and that to Queen's Road approximately the same, the actual building being two hundred and twenty feet square, leaving a private roadway on the West side.

The height to the top of the tower will be 220 feet and this will stand out clear to the view of ships of all nations entering the harbour, as a dignified memorial to the world of the importance of the Banking Corporation to be housed therein.

The stepping back of the upper floors and tower was dictated by the necessity of avoiding interference with the light and air of adjacent buildings. The resultant outline is, however, both pleasing and interesting.

The building has been designed on simple and dignified lines throughout, the solid base without any windows on the Des Voeux Road front suggesting the impregnable strong rooms behind the wall. The massive piers, the full height of the tower, will be terminated with carved figures representing Men of Vision. The carving will be strictly architectural, square cut with severe lines suitable to be hard material in which they are carved. Four massive lions' heads representing Strength complete the sculpture on the tower. The bronze panels, five in number in the windows, over the Des Voeux Road entrance, will represent China, India and the Federated Malay States, the countries in the Far East in which the Banking Corporation interests chiefly lie. The central panel will bear the Coat of Arms of the Bank.

The level of Queen's Road is several feet above that of Des Voeux Road; there is therefore a Ground Floor and a lower Ground Floor, and below that a Basement to accommodate the Boilers, Pumps, Ventilating Machinery, Workshops, etc.

Main Hall.

The main Banking Hall will be at the Queen's Road level and be the Treasury, Safe Deposit, etc., at the Des Voeux Road level. The administrative offices, including Chief Manager, Managers and Chief Accountant, will face Statue Square. The main Banking Hall will be about 210 by 95 feet. The height of the Banking Hall will be 27 feet, over the working space, with a barrel vaulted ceiling 47 feet above the public space.

The first to the seventh floors inclusive of the building have been designed as offices for letting. At the top of the Tower will be provided a Rest Room and Luncheon room for the staff with a gallery around the upper part of the Tower, flats for senior married employees, a flat for the Chief Manager, and a Squash Court, etc.

The banking portion of the premises will be the last word in Bank design and equipment, being the result of study of the most modern Bank Buildings in Canada, America, London and the Continent of Europe. The whole building will be ventilated by a "conditioned air installation", providing ideal conditions of temperature and humidity all the year round, irrespective of external conditions. The advantages of true air conditioning (which should not be confused with air cooling) are now recognised all over the world. All dust and filth is first eliminated from the air which is then dehumidified or humidified cooled or warmed as outside conditions require. All parts of the offices will be equally comfortable all the year round. Small offices therefore fulfil requirements which previously necessitated large offices.

Noise Eliminated.

As windows are closed noise is eliminated, a great comfort on busy streets; perfect air conditions can be maintained during typhoons or bad weather, electric fans not being required with a consequent saving in first cost and running expenses not to mention the elimination of the annoyance of having papers blown about; air conditioning is comfortable, it safeguards health and increases efficiency, and by the elimination of dust a considerable saving in maintenance costs of a building results, particularly with moving parts and machinery.

The Main Entrance to the Bank is from Queen's Road. The Bronze Gates are designed with a grille over suggesting a portcullis; in the design three knights in armour stand guard and the whole design symbolises protection and safety. The Entrance Hall is an irregular octagon in shape, about 460 sq. ft. and rises to a height of 27 feet, it is of granite throughout. The lighting will be by projectors hidden in granite pedestals. In the wall opposite the main entrance gates approached by five steps is a bronze screen and doors, incorporated in the design being the coat of arms of the Bank. The thick granite walls, the stone ceiling and heavy bronze gates give an impression of immense strength.

Passing through a lobby, which serves as an air lock to prevent the cooled air escaping, we enter the Main Banking Hall.

The Banking Hall.

This is of great size, being 210 feet long and 95 feet wide. The public space is continuous from the Queen's Road entrance to the stairs from the Des Voeux Road entrance in the centre. The ceiling of this space will be barrel vaulted, the crown being 47 feet above the floor.

The only decoration in the building has been concentrated in this vaulted ceiling which will be covered with glass mosaics. The design consists of two main groups of figures in colour, symbolical of Banking and Commerce, the former supported by Agriculture and Mining, the sources of all wealth, the latter supported by Industry and Shipping.

At the top of the vault in the centre is an allegorical group composed of Ceres, the Goddess of Abundance, with her Cornucopia and Helios, the God of the Sun, driving his Chariot across the sky and shedding light on the groups of figures below. It is fervently hoped that by the time the Bank is finished this brightness and abundance in the world of Banking and Commerce will be an actual fact.

The walls and columns in the Banking Hall will be finished with marble, much of it coming from Devonshire, England, a beautiful dark marble, called Ashburton. The filling slabs to the walls and certain pillars will be a light coloured marble called Botticino. The floor of the Public Space will be paved with Travertine with bands of Swedish Green. The ceiling of the working spaces will be of plaster without enrichment.

The general lighting of this hall will be by concealed lights—the system has been designed by London experts and will provide an even shadowless light over the entire working space.

In addition, specially designed desk lamps have been designed for occasional use when it is not necessary to switch on the main lighting.

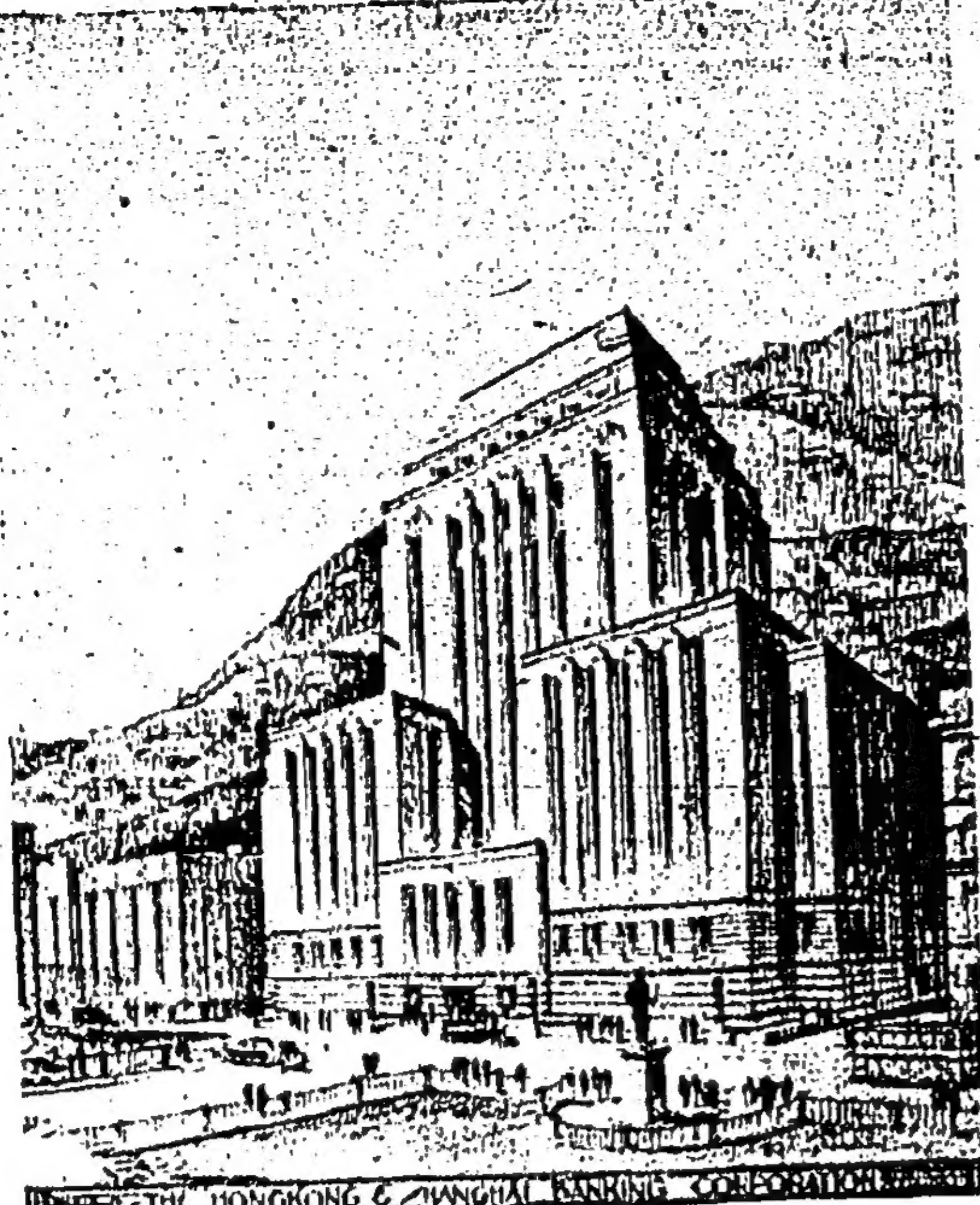
Administrative Offices.

The administrative offices adjoin the North end of the Banking Hall and overlook Statue Square. They consist of the Chief Manager's Private Room, Manager's Room, Secretary's Room, Waiting Room, Telegrams, Books, Chief Accountant's Department with special Securities Room, Interview Rooms and Brokers' Room, etc.

The Brokers' Room is provided with twelve telephone boxes. The walls and floors of the principal rooms will be finished with a light coloured marble, with special recesses for safes, codes, books, etc. have been provided.

Des Voeux Road Entrance.

The second entrance to the Bank from Des Voeux Road is below the



The magnificent new Hongkong and Shanghai Bank as it will appear from Statue Square upon completion.

executive offices, the main floor being reached by a wide marble staircase and two fast automatic lifts for brokers.

On passing through the bronze entrance doors from Des Voeux Road into the Entrance Hall, on the left will be seen a bronze screen with double doors giving access to the Safe Deposit area, the Staff lifts and staircase, on the right through a similar screen is the Office entrance hall and lifts.

Safe Deposit.

The Safe Deposit will be one of the strongest in the Far East. The main door will weigh 17 tons and yet will be so beautifully balanced that it can be moved with one finger. In addition, there will be an emergency door of equal strength.

The 6,000 boxes and small strong rooms inside the main chamber and the ceiling will be of stainless steel. The lighting will be on the indirect method and needless to say all the latest methods for ensuring the safety of customers' valuables have been incorporated in this wonderful Safe Deposit, which will also be air conditioned. Small rooms fitted with steel desks, telephones and other conveniences are available for customers who wish to deal with their valuables without removing them from within the protective grille.

Electric Lifts.

There will be eleven lifts in the building, all of the latest patterns. The passenger lifts will run at a speed of 500 feet per minute and will be automatically controlled. All the attendant has to do is to press a few buttons and the machinery does the rest.

Mezzanine.

The Mezzanine at the North end overlooking Statue Square provides accommodation for the Board Room, Sub-Managers' Room, Filing Rooms, Telephone Exchange, retiring and rest rooms for women employees. The Board Room will be about 800 sq. ft. The walls will be lined with a specially selected sandstone, the veining of which closely resembles walnut panelling.

The Mezzanine at the South end provides accommodation for Stationery Room, Filing Rooms, Lavatories, Rest and Changing Rooms for the Portuguese and Chinese members of the Staff.

Fireproof Construction.

The building will be of fireproof construction throughout, the only wood used will be the parquet floors in the residential quarters. The steel frame is of Chromodure Steel, this being the first

building in the world where this steel has been used throughout. Chromodure steel is a chrome copper steel of a strength 40 per cent greater than ordinary mild steel. There is therefore a very considerable reduction in weight and in cost of transportation and erection, and the resistance to corrosion of this steel is nearly double that of mild steel.

The materials for the building are being obtained almost entirely from the British Empire. No difficulty, no pains or trouble have been spared in finding and securing whatever seemed most suitable for the different parts of the structure.

Air Conditioning.

The roofs are being specially insulated against the heat of the sun, and the whole building will be "air conditioned." The advantages of air conditioned offices will appeal to prospective tenants, the stirring up of vitiated air by fans being now out of date; tenants will benefit from ideal atmospheric conditions and from the saving in the cost of fans and current to run them. This Air Conditioning Plant has been designed and is being installed by experts from London.

The Invisible Panel Heating System will heat the building in winter—this is the latest system and the conditions in a building so heated are far more comfortable than when heated by any other method. The heat being radiant heat the same degree of comfort is obtained with a lower temperature of the air; it is healthy and there are no radiators to obstruct furniture or interfere with the division of the offices.

Amongst other features of the building may be mentioned the Grids of conduit to be laid in all office floors to enable a telephone to be installed on a desk in any position without running loose wire about the walls, floors and ceilings; the Oil Fired Boilers; the Automatic Telephone Exchange; the Emergency Lights to Treasuries, Central Counter, Corridor and Staircases in offices in case of a breakdown of the Electric Company's plant.

The building is being designed by the Shanghai office of Messrs. Palmer & Turner, Mr. G.L. Wilson, F.R.I.B.A., F.S.I., Architect for the Shanghai premises, being responsible for the design of this building also.

The organisation and direction of the construction programme is in the hands of Messrs. M. H. Logan and L. W. Amps, M. M. INST. C.E., Chartered Civil Engineers, who have brought out from England a staff of expert supervisors and special machinery for the purpose.

KING ALEXANDER'S FUNERAL

PRINCE GEORGE IN BELGRADE

London, Oct. 16.
The Duke of Kent, who is representing King George at the funeral of King Alexander of Yugoslavia, Princess Marina and Prince and Princess Nicholas of Greece arrived at Belgrade to-day. They were received at the station by Prince Paul and Princess Olga, and proceeded to the Palace, where the young King Peter, his mother and Queen Marie of Rumania are in residence.

Admiral Sir William Fisher, Commander-in-chief of the Mediterranean Fleet, who is representing the Navy at King Alexander's funeral, is accompanied by a naval detachment consisting of 15 officers, 100 seamen and 20 marines. —British Wireless.

SPECIAL ART BARGAINS

TO MARK MR. KOMOR'S JUBILEE

To celebrate Mr. Siegfried Komor's activities for a half century, the well-known firm of Komor & Komor are making a special display of fine modern and ancient Oriental art. Visitors are welcome and purchasers will be pleased to learn that they can obtain valuable Christmas presents and curios at amazingly low prices. Several exceptionally fine ivory and one very fine piece of jade from Mr. Komor's personal collection are on display.

The slogan of the House is: "Try and please everybody." There are articles to suit all pockets and some pieces will be sold at half their real value.

RADIO BROADCAST

RECITALS FROM THE STUDIO

EUROPEAN PROGRAMME.

From ZBW on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles).
4.7 p.m. Chinese Programme.
6.6.15 p.m. Children's Studio Concert.
7 p.m. London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations.
7.05-7.30 p.m. Orchestral.
Rosenwald—Ballet Music in G (Schubert).
Royal Albert Hall Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.
Eugen Onegin—Waltz (Tchaikovsky).
Royal Opera Orchestra, Covent Garden, conducted by Eugene Goossens.
Prelude a L'Après-Midi d'un Faune (Debussy).
Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra conducted by Leopold Stokowski.
L'Apprenti Sorcier (The Sorcerer's Apprentice) (Paul Dukas).
Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra of New York directed by Arturo Toscanini.
7.30-8 p.m. From the Studio.
A Recital.

Captain O. P. Jock (Baritone).
Mr. A. W. Lorena (Pianoforte).
Programme.

Pianoforte.
Minuet Pompadour. Anon.

Two Songs.
The Self-Banished. Blow.

Linden Lea. Vaughan Williams.

Pianoforte.
Whims. Schumann.

Song.
Stone-Cracker John. Eric Coates.

Pianoforte.
Nocturne. Lorena.

Pierette. Chaminade.

Two Songs.
The Dead Highwayman. Mercfield.

King Charles. White.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.05-8.50 p.m. From the Studio.

Selections by the "Empress of Canada" Orchestra directed by Mr. G. H. Redfern.

Programme.

March, Colonel Bogey. Alford.

Waltz, Reverie. Walteufel.

Selection, Sounda from England. arr. Langley.

Entr'acte.

(a) Love's Garden of Roses. Haydn-Wood.

(b) Rose of Tralee. Glover.

(c) Love came calling. Zamecnik.

(d) In a Persian Market. Keteibey.

Fox Trot, Selected.

8.50-9 p.m. The Lerner String Quartet.

Barcarolle—Transcription (Tchaikovsky).

Gavotte—Transcription (Gluck).

Quartet No. 1 in D Major—Finke Allegro (Ditterdorf).

9.20 p.m. From the Studio.

A Recital by Mrs. E. Snowden-Jones (Soprano) accompanied by piano by Mr. Frederick Mason, A.M.C.O., L.T.C.

Programme.

1. A Black Bird Singing (Michael Head).

2. Ships of Arcady (Michael Head).

3. I Know a Bank (Martin Shaw).

4. The Knotting Song (Purcell).

5. Conquered in Love ("Ottone") (Handel).

Recorded Violin Solo—Romanza Andaluza (No. 3) Spanische Tanze (Sarastate).

Bronislav Huberman.

1. Turn ye to Me (Old Highland Air).

2. On Wings of Song (Mendelssohn).

3. To Daisies (Quilter).

9.20-9.30 p.m. Wilfred Sanderson's Songs played by the Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards.

9.30 p.m.

Reuter Press Bulletins, London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.

9.35 p.m. From the Studio.

A Violoncello Recital by Yukiichi Koh (accompanied by Professor E. Gualdi).

Programme.

1. Kol Nidrei (Max Bruch).

2. Scherzo (Feldzer, Op. 3, No. 2).

3. Adagio (Haydn).

4. Gavotte (Poppo, Op. 3).

9.55-10.30 p.m. Dance Music.

Fox Trot—In the Court of Old King Cole.

Tango—Dreamy Serenade.

Fox Trot—Just Like Jack, Just like Jill.

Fox Trot—Remember Me.

Fox Trot—A New Moon is Over my Shoulder from M.G.M.

Fox Trot—From Now on.

Film "Student Tour."

Fox Trot—As Long as I Live.

Fox Trot—All Wind.

Fox Trot—Love thy Neighbour.

Tango—Cafe in Vienna.

Waltz—Love is a Song.

10.30 p.m.

Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.35 p.m. Close Down.

ZEESON PROGRAMMES.

This Evening's Broadcast From The German Short-Waver.

Special programmes for Far Eastern listeners will be broadcast to-night by ZWA on 12.25 metres as under:

9 p.m. Announcement (German, English) German Folk Song Programme.

9.15 p.m. Letter Box.

9.45 p.m. Works by Schubert and Schumann Walter Baroni (Piano).

9.45 p.m. News Bulletin (English).

10 p.m. "Den Nacht" by Mozart Selections from the Opera.

11.15 p.m. News Bulletin (German).

11.25 p.m. Music-Topped Entertainment.

11.35 p.m. News Bulletin (English).

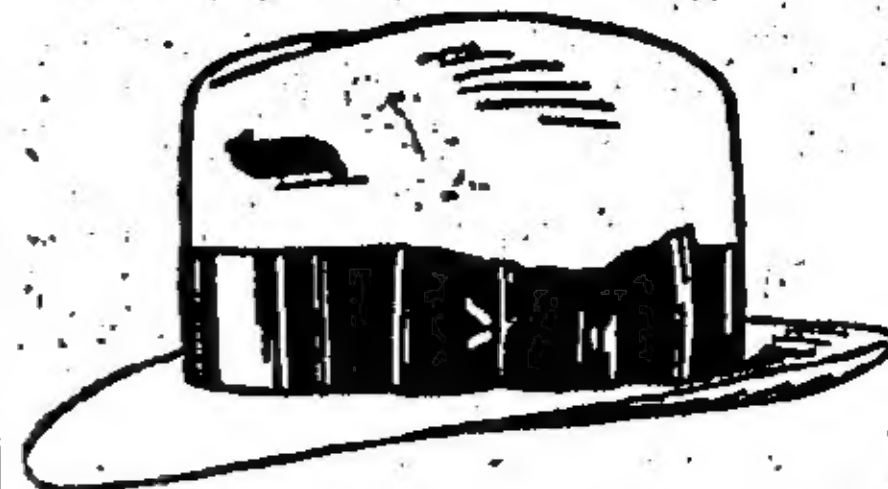
11.50 p.m. Close Down (German, English).

DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES.

Relay From Scottish Radio.

Exhibition in Edinburgh.

Daventry programmes will be broadcast to (Continued on Page 5).



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FORMATION OF HONGKONG BADMINTON ASSOCIATION

THIS WEEK'S GREAT LONDON "DERBY"

Arsenal Meeting Tottenham At Highbury

COLOURFUL FOOTBALL PROGRAMME

Arsenal's ground records threaten to be shattered on Saturday, when the Highbury team of classical footballers meet Tottenham Hotspurs in the big London "Derby." And not only can attendance figures expect to go by the board; one can also confidently anticipate a brilliant exposition of the modern game of soccer. Both teams take the field fresh from their triumphs of last week, when the Arsenal humbled Manchester City and Spurs went to Roker Park and beat Sunderland.

At the moment the Arsenal are heading the league, and they will naturally be all out to retain that distinctive position. On the other hand here is obvious a rejuvenation in progress in the White Hart Lane camp, and if the Spurs get going they will take a lot of stopping.

Not that this is the only interesting match in the first division. There is Derby County's visit to Manchester, Preston's journey to Pompey (where Stoke last week scored an unexpected victory), and Grimsby's trip to Liverpool. Anything may happen in either of these games.

In the second division we find Bolton on foreign soil for the second Saturday in succession, and this time they are up against the redoubtable Hull City, a nasty nut for any team to crack. Blackpool, Brentford and Fulham enjoy home fixtures, and ought to win in each case, but Manchester United, who have enjoyed a fine run of success lately may find themselves up against it at Newcastle, where desperate efforts are being made to revive a team in the Blues.

There are a couple of teasers in the southern section of the Third Division. Charlton have to visit Coventry and Crystal Palace will be entertained by Clapton Orient. Coventry went down the drain last Saturday, but that was away, and on their own ground are much more formidable. If Charlton win here they will go a long way to establishing themselves as favourites for promotion.

Millwall and Reading are on their own pasture, as are Exeter,

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL IN THE SCHOOLS

F. A. To Distribute Instructional Book

The Football Association is to distribute more than 20,000 copies of an instructional book on football to public, secondary and preparatory schools throughout the country. This will be the first step in a campaign to influence schools to play Association football. The instruction book is entitled "Football—How to Succeed," and it is written for the National Union of Teachers by the Reverend K. R. G. Hunt, the former English International and Cup Final medalist.

Essex County Football Association will experimentally appoint coaches within its area and if this proves satisfactory, coaches will then be available on application to schools elsewhere. An instructional film for use in the schools is also to be provided. Elementary schools are not barred from these benefits, but most of them are already members of the Schools Football Association.

and appear as safe as anybody for a couple of points apiece.

The outstanding engagement in the northern section is that between Halifax and Chester on the former's enclosure. I prefer the chances of Halifax. Tranmere and Wrexham look fairly safe, but what price Doncaster's chances at Walsall? Here's a sporting proposition to make complete those three away winners!

OUR "FORM" GUIDE

How Your Team Has Been Faring In League

The following table reveals how each team in the four divisions of the English league have fared to date, the results including their last five more matches up to yesterday.

The first figure in each case, of course, is that of the team concerned.

FIRST DIVISION.					THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).						
Birmingham	1-0	1-0	1-5	2-1	4-5	Aldershot	2-3	2-0	2-0	0-3	0-0
Derby C.	1-1	4-1	2-1	1-0	1-4	Brighton	1-2	0-3	4-1	3-0	0-0
Leeds	0-0	0-3	2-0	3-0	0-0	Bristol C.	2-3	1-0	0-2	0-4	3-1
Aston Villa	1-1	2-0	4-2	1-5	2-2	Cardiff	2-5	1-3	0-2	0-1	3-0
Chelsea	1-3	0-2	2-0	2-3	2-1	Clapton O.	0-5	4-0	1-1	4-0	1-1
Middlesbrough	0-1	0-2	1-2	1-1	2-3	Coventry	1-2	1-1	2-0	5-1	1-3
Leicester	1-1	1-3	0-2	2-2	0-0	Exeter	0-1	1-1	1-1	1-2	2-3
Liverpool	0-1	3-0	3-2	1-4	5-4	Gillingham	0-4	1-2	2-2	2-1	1-3
Portsmouth	0-0	2-4	2-1	1-2	0-1	Luton	1-2	1-1	2-0	2-0	1-0
Preston	2-2	2-0	2-0	1-0	0-0	Swindon	2-2	3-1	4-4	0-2	5-0
Wednesday	1-2	0-0	1-2	1-4	0-0	Crystal P.	2-1	4-1	2-0	2-2	3-1
Sunderland	1-1	1-4	2-0	1-1	1-2	Bristol R.	2-2	0-0	0-2	2-0	2-1
Tottenham	3-1	0-2	1-2	2-2	2-1	Watford	5-0	2-1	1-0	0-1	2-1
West Bromwich	3-4	4-2	2-3	6-3	2-3	Charlton	1-0	0-0	3-1	2-2	2-0
Wolves	3-2	1-2	4-2	1-4	3-2	Reading	3-1	4-1	0-1	6-1	3-2
Blackburn	2-0	0-1	0-1	3-3	2-2	Northampton	1-3	0-2	1-0	1-0	3-1
Arsenal	0-2	0-0	1-1	2-2	2-0	Newport	1-0	0-4	2-2	1-6	1-3
Grimsby	5-1	2-1	0-2	5-1	4-1	Torquay	6-2	0-0	6-2	3-2	1-2
Stoke	1-3	2-0	1-0	2-2	1-0	Southern	0-3	1-4	1-1	2-3	0-5
Huddersfield	1-0	4-2	2-4	3-2	2-2	Queen's P.R.	2-1	1-1	1-1	2-2	0-3
Everton	1-0	4-2	2-4	3-2	2-2	Bournemouth	1-1	1-0	0-1	1-2	1-3
Manchester C.	3-1	3-1	2-1	3-3	0-3	Millwall	1-3	0-1	1-3	1-5	1-1

SECOND DIVISION.					THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).						
Bradford	1-0	1-3	0-1	2-1	0-2	Accrington	2-0	0-4	2-4	3-1	1-1
Brenford	2-2	2-1	1-2	1-1	0-3	Crews	2-3	2-5	4-2	2-6	3-3
Burnley	0-0	4-1	1-3	1-3	0-2	Darlington	4-1	1-1	0-6	0-3	0-0
Bury	1-0	1-2	2-0	1-2	2-1	Gatehead	2-1	5-2	1-5	1-0	1-1
Fulham	1-2	4-1	0-2	4-0	1-1	Halifax	1-1	2-1	0-1	3-2	2-1
Manchester U.	0-0	2-0	1-1	2-2	1-1	Lincoln	1-1	1-3	4-0	0-0	0-0
Notts	0-1	2-0	0-1	1-1	1-1	Bootham	1-2	4-0	1-1	1-1	1-1
Oldham	0-3	3-0	4-1	2-0	0-4	Stockport	3-2	0-3	1-1	3-3	1-1
Port Vale	3-2	1-1	3-3	0-2	1-3	Tranmere	1-0	2-2	1-0	1-3	4-1
Swansea	0-1	1-1	1-3	3-4	2-0	Walsall	1-1	1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0
Ramsley	1-3	1-4	4-0	0-8	1-1	Wrexham	3-1	2-2	1-6	2-3	0-1
Norwich	0-6	0-5	0-2	1-2	1-2	New Brighton	0-1	0-2	1-1	1-1	2-2
Southampton	2-1	1-1	1-1	1-1	1-1	Exeter	2-1	1-1	1-1	1-1	2-2
Blackpool	2-3	1-4	1-0	2-1	1-1	York	1-6	3-1	1-1	1-1	1-1
Plymouth	0-5	1-3	1-2	1-2	1-2	Chester	5-1	2-0	0-1	0-2	0-0
Bradford C.	2-0	0-3	1-1	3-2	3-0	Mansfield	0-2	2-0	0-3	3-0	0-0
Newcastle	0-1	3-1	2-0	4-3	2-3	Rochdale	2-4	0-4	1-0	0-2	1-1
Bolton	2-0	3-0	2-0	8-0	3-1	Chesterfield	0-1	3-0	1-3	2-0	0-2
Sheff. U.	0-2	1-3	6-2	1-1	1-1	Southport	1-4	1-3	1-1	2-0	1-1
Sheff. W.	0-2	1-3	6-2	1-1	1-1	Carlisle	2-1	1-1	1-1	1-1	1-1
Hull	4-4	1-2	2-1	0-4	2-0	Hartlepool	1-2	4-0	0-1	1-3	2-2
West Ham	0-0	1-3	2-1	2-1	3-2	Barnsley	3-1	0-8	3-0	0-1	0-0

SECOND DIVISION.

Bradford	1-0	1-3	0-1	2-1	0-2	Accrington	2-0	0-4	2-1	3-1	1-1
Brentford	2-2	2-1	1-2	1-1	0-3	Crews	2-3	2-5	4-2	2-6	3-2
Burnley	0-0	4-1	1-3	1-2	0-0	Darlington	4-1	1-1	1-0	6-2	0-3
Bury	1-0	1-2	2-0	1-2	2-1	Gateshead	2-1	5-2	1-5	1-0	1-1
Fulham	0-1	0-1	0-2	1-0	1-1	Halifax	1-1	4-1	1-1	2-0	1-1
Manchester U.	2-3	5-0	0-8	2-1	4-0	Lincoln	1-3	1-2	4-0	0-0	2-0
Notts F.	0-1	2-1	5-3	1-1	1-1	Rotherham	1-2	4-0	0-4	3-1	1-0
Oldham	0-2	3-2	0-4	2-0	0-4	Stockport	3-2	0-2	5-1	1-3	4-0
Port Vale	0-2	1-1	3-1	0-2	1-3	Tranmere	1-0	2-2	1-0	1-3	4-0
Swansea	0-0	1-1	1-3	3-4	2-0	Walsall	1-1	1-0	0-1	0-0	0-4
Barnsley	1-2	1-4	4-0	0-8	1-1	Wrexham	3-1	2-2	1-5	2-3	0-1
Northwich	0-0	0-5	0-2	1-2	1-2	New Brighton	0-1	0-2	1-2	1-1	2-0
Southampton	3-0	1-1	1-1	1-1	1-1	York	1-5	3-1	1-4	3-1	2-3
Blackpool	2-2	1-4	1-0	2-1	2-1	Chesham	5-1	2-0	6-1	0-2	0-3
Plymouth	0-3	1-3	1-2	1-2	1-0	Manfield	0-2	2-0	0-3	0-0	0-1
Bradford C.	2-0	0-3	1-1	1-2	3-0	Rochdale	2-1	0-4	1-0	2-0	1-0
Newcastle	0-1	3-1	2-0	4-3	2-3	Chesham	0-1	3-0	1-3	2-0	1-2
Bolton	2-0	3-0	2-0	8-0	3-1	Southport	1-1	1-3	2-1	2-0	1-2
Sheffield U.	0-0	2-3	0-2	1-2	3-0	Carlisle	2-1	0-1	3-1	0-3	0-0
Notts C.	0-2	1-1	3-5	2-3	0-3	Hartlepool	1-2	4-0	0-1	1-3	2-2
Hull	4-0	1-2	2-1	0-4	2-0	Barnsley	3-1	0-3	3-0	0-1	0-0
West Ham	0-4	3-1	2-1	2-1	3-2						

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Bradford	1-0	1-3	0-1	2-1	0-2	Accrington	2-0	0-4	2-1	3-1	1-1
Brentford	2-2	2-1	1-2	1-1	0-3	Crews	2-3	2-5	4-2	2-6	3-2
Burnley	0-0	4-1	1-3	1-2	0-0	Darlington	4-1	1-1	1-0	6-2	0-3
Bury	1-0	1-2	2-0	1-2	2-1	Gateshead	2-1	5-2	1-5	1-0	1-1
Fulham	0-1	0-1	0-2	1-0	1-1	Halifax	1-1	4-1	1-1	2-0	1-1
Manchester U.	2-3	5-0	0-8	2-1	4-0	Lincoln	1-3	1-2	4-0	0-0	2-0
Notts F.	0-1	2-1	5-3	1-1	1-1	Rotherham	1-2	4-0	0-4	3-1	1-0
Oldham	0-2	3-2	0-4	2-0	0-4	Stockport	3-2	0-2	5-1	1-3	4-0
Port Vale	0-2	1-1	3-1	0-2	1-3	Tranmere	1-0	2-2	1-0	1-3	4-0
Swansea	0-0	1-1	1-3	3-4	2-0	Walsall	1-1	1-0	0-1	0-0	0-4
Barnsley	1-2	1-4	4-0	0-8	1-1	Wrexham	3-1	2-2	1-5	2-3	0-1
Northwich	0-0	0-5	0-2	1-2	1-2	New Brighton	0-1	0-2	1-2	1-1	2-0
Southampton	3-0	1-1	1-1	1-1	1-1	York	1-5	3-1	1-4	3-1	2-3
Blackpool	2-2	1-4	1-0	2-1	2-1	Chesham	5-1	2-0	6-1	0-2	0-3
Plymouth	0-3	1-3	1-2	1-2	1-0	Manfield	0-2	2-0	0-3	0-0	0-1
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INTERNATIONAL SOCCER FLARE-UP THREAT

DANGER EMPHASISED BY MATCH AT CLAPTON

NEED FOR COMMON INTERPRETATION OF PLAYING RULES

(By F. M. Carruthers)

Unless something is done to reconcile the Continental with the British view of how football should be played I am afraid there is bound to be serious trouble.

The authorities must recognise the gravity of the present situation, but they are allowing matters to drift. The position is a delicate one, but unless action is taken it will become worse, and there is a real fear that one day international relations will be imperilled.

Throughout the summer leaders of football have regarded with disdain the bickering in cricket and have declared that such things could not possibly occur in their own game, but unless they put out the fire which is already smouldering it will burst alarmingly into flame.

I do not think there was an official who watched the match between Clapton Orient and the Sportklub Rapid of Vienna who was not concerned by what happened.

AUSTRIANS SURPRISED.

The Austrian players were transparently ignorant of the conditions under which we expect the game to be played. When free kicks were given against them, some for bad fouls, according to our interpretation of the rules, they were mystified and in their own way asked, "What have I done wrong?"

The Continental conception of what is legitimate in defensive play is totally different from our own, and the difficulty arises because we may not say that we are right and they are wrong.

If British and European teams are to continue to meet there must be a better understanding of what is proper.

The chief divergence of view occurs in defensive measures. I doubt very much whether it is true that European players do not use the charge, but they rely mainly on a studied system of obstruction.

RUGBY TACKLES.

There was one case in which a Clapton Orient player was sent headlong as he was about to go after the ball when it was twenty yards away, and the Vienna player who "stopped" him could not understand why he was penalised.

Instances were common of men being pulled off the ball by the arm, and they were even tackled round the waist in Rugby fashion. It was obvious that the Austrians were accustomed to do these things, and that they did not see anything wrong in them.

In many important matters Continental football is different from our own, and although the rules are the same for both I do not see how it is possible for teams to play properly and fairly unless they are observed in the same spirit and with the same intention.

UNFORTUNATE.

There is not a club who have been on the Continent who do not accept the situation as I have stated it and appreciate the dangers.

I believe that Manchester City have made up their minds not to go on tour again, and I am convinced that until matters are adjusted it would be advisable for the matches to be suspended.

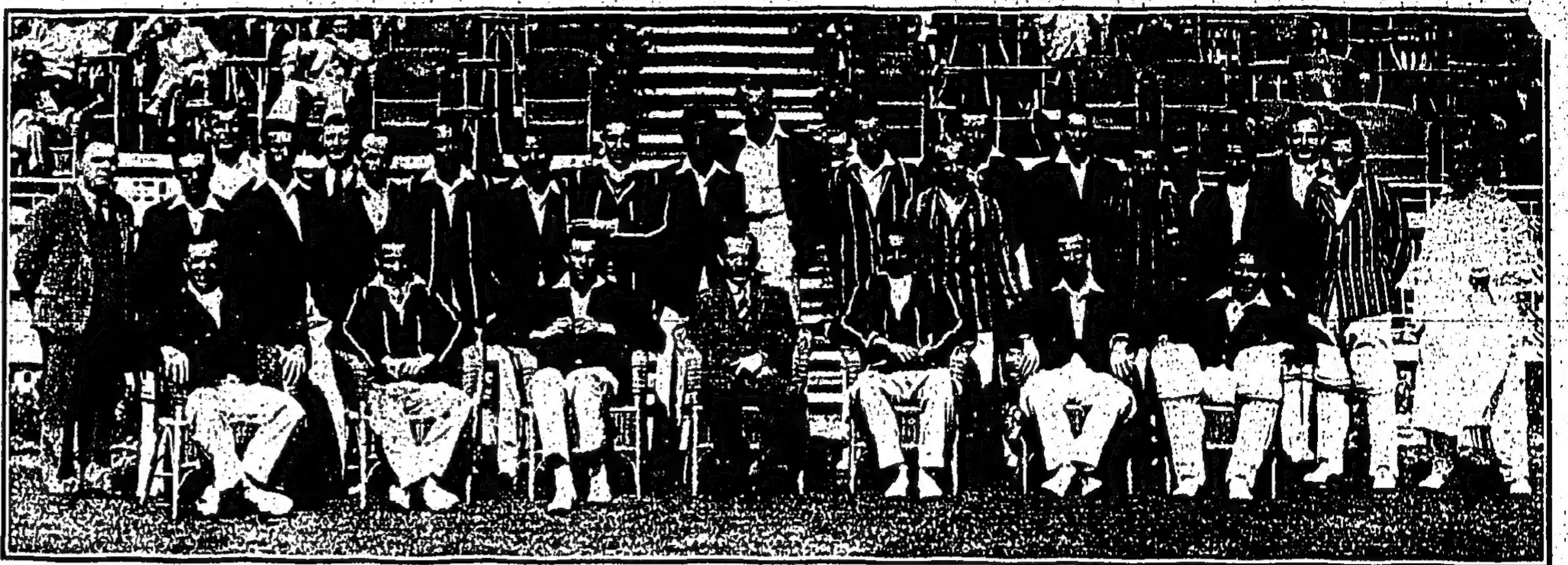
It is unfortunate that the Football Association are not members of the International Federation, who govern football in Europe and other countries abroad. They were driven out over the question of payment of amateurs for "broken time." But the interests of all the countries are now so closely inter-linked that there ought to be some way of definitely settling the conditions under which all teams should play.

THE CESAREWITCH

Entries Scratched For Big Race

London, Oct. 16.

Sans Espoir, Saint-Royard, Dunkawa and Labour Member have been scratched from the Cesarewitch Stakes, to be run to-morrow. It is now the mount on Dejas Comba will have the mount on Dejas Comba. Thompson will ride Frivolite II and A. Pavee will be on Lenin-Router.



The group of Shanghai and Hongkong players who met on the Shanghai Cricket Club ground to battle for Interport honours. Shanghai eventually won comfortably by 270 runs, the Colony putting up an unexpectedly poor opposition in the face of some brilliant batting by L. F. Stokes and Kermani, and the bowling of "Pat" Madar, Leach and Stokes.

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(By "Robin")

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NEW STATUS FOR LOCAL BADMINTON

ASSOCIATION ESTABLISHED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE

DRAFT RULES AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED YESTERDAY

(By "Veritas").

Backed by the unanimous approval of club representatives, the Hongkong Badminton Association came into being yesterday evening, when, at the same time, the recently formed Badminton League, became extinct as a governing body.

The objects of the Association are to advance and safeguard the interests of badminton in the Colony, and to manage all championships and league competitions.

The game therefore enjoys the protection and assistance of a parent body, and the rapid progress of badminton here can be confidently anticipated. That clubs are keen was evidenced by the close attention paid to the draft regulations and rules and of the many constructive amendments put before the meeting and passed.

SAME OFFICIALS.

Coincident with the formation of the Association, it was also agreed that the officials elected for the Badminton League should continue to hold office in the Association, and they are as follows:

President:—Rev. J. R. Higgs.
Vice-President:—Mr. D. H. Hazell.
Hon. Treasurer:—Mr. R. Kirkwood.
Hon. Secretary:—Mr. S. A. Gray.

Executive Committee:—Messrs. F. H. Kwok, R. H. Wong, E. da Sousa, A. E. Collins, C. H. Summers, and Lee Kuan-yeu.

Mr. Dennis H. Hazell, president of the Association, presided over yesterday's meeting held in the Board Room of the South China Morning Post, Ltd., the Rev. J. R. Higgs being unable to attend owing to a previous engagement.

VALUE OF AN ASSOCIATION.

In proposing that a Badminton Association of Hongkong be formed, the chairman explained that the Executive Committee of the League had felt that a league in itself was too restricted in its activities and control, and that an Association, with its wider powers of administration, was highly desirable.

It was also felt that such an Association would be in the best interests of the game, in the Colony and could do more to foster it than a league, which beyond its own competition, could not operate with any authority.

Mr. S. Flith-Barnard seconded, and the proposition was unanimously carried. Then followed a discussion on the draft rules as formulated by the Executive Committee of the League. These covered both the regulations of the Association and the rules to govern a league.

Asked to decide on the question of an annual affiliation fee, the meeting agreed that it should be \$10 for every club. This is naturally in addition to the entrance fees to participate in the league. The Association has also agreed to follow the rules of the recently formed International Badminton Federation, and in due time will

probably make application for affiliation to that body.

LEAGUE RULES.

Chief rules concerning the league included the provision of new shuttles for every match, the shuttles to be a medium speed and complying with the regulations of the Federation.

It was also decided to play a "round robin" system whereby every pair meets every pair one game of 21 points up. An amendment that teams should nominate first, second and third pairs and that these should play their opposites only, in the best of three games, was defeated.

Another important rule which met with approval was that giving permission to a player to play for a different club if his own club was entered only in one division, although he cannot, of course, play for more than one club in the same division.

A report was made to the meeting of the various courts indicating by the committee to determine whether they were fit for league matches, when it was announced that all, save one, appeared suitable. In that one case, arrangements would be made for the club's teams to play their home fixtures on opponents' courts.

Entries for the league are being invited forthwith, as it is hoped to have the competition started in November. To assist in the compiling of the fixtures, all clubs competing are asked to inform the hon. secretary on what nights of the week their courts are available. By this means home matches can

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BEACH CLUB GIRL

By MABEL McELLIOTT

CHAPTER XXXII

Boots and Denis lunched at an inn hanging over a willow-circled pond where ducks swam lazily in the dappled water. Denis was at his most charming—neither abstracted nor fully interested. He was solicitous for her comfort. But his long, lean brown hands lighted cigarette after cigarette and Boots noticed that he ate little. He seemed thinner; he had a fine-drawn look about his mouth. She had sent him a money order for \$10 the week before, her first payment against the debt caused by her illness and Rusa's burial. He spoke of this gently. He hadn't written to acknowledge it, he said, because he'd wanted to see her first. She was not to bother about that until things were better with her. It was simply a loan between friends. "How are you liking the work?" he wanted to know.

She shrugged. No one was to know how dreadful the long days at Lucy's seemed to her. It was all right, she said, a little thing sometimes. It was a job; that was all. He gave her a thoughtful look. "I—had something in mind," he said. "Remember Masteron, that publisher chap I talked to you about a year ago?"

She remembered. It had been when she was so desperate, so unhappy, not knowing which way to turn. "His firm has an outlet bookshop over on Eighth Street. Nice little place. Copper kettles and spinning wheels, that sort of thing. You know?"

She knew. She remembered passing by, stopping to read the titles on the bright jackets. "Well, the girl—one of the girls, I should say—is leaving in two weeks. She's a southerner. I think she's getting married. They want someone. When I was in Masteron's office the other day he was talking to someone on the telephone about it. I thought of you."

"But," she cried, her heart thudding painfully, happily at the thought, "maybe the job's already been taken. Oh, probably it has!"

It was true of Denis to tell her about it too late to do anything about it. Because of course there were always dozens of girls after jobs of the sort. So different from Lucy's with its time clock, and its eternal vigilance, the wary eyes of the supervisor, the steady ache in back and feet.

"I don't know. It's a chance anyway. Worth looking into," Denis warmed to the idea. "Look, I'll call you to-morrow—or can I?"

"We're not supposed to have telephone calls at the store," she told him. "Can't I call you instead?"

That was all right, Denis said. She would call him about noon then? Good.

To-day he was a delightful companion, easy to talk to, interested, amusing. He told lazy stories expertly; he flashed his remembered smile at her occasionally; and when the girl, relaxing in the pleasant atmosphere, responded in kind he laughed heartily at her sallies. Boots had never felt so gay, so witty and assured. She gave him brief sketches of some of the people at the store. She was repaid by the deep chuckle with which they were received.

"I don't believe a word of it," he said indolently when she had finished an imitation of Mr. Babcock, the floor manager, and his famous monologue about "Lacy Service."

"Oh, I assure you!" Boots began, protesting delightedly.

The other lunchers had drifted away. They were quite alone now in the big clean room with the square tables. Waiters drifted to and fro with trays of shining, empty glasses

and someone turned on a radio in an inner room. A nasal tenor wailed the refrain:

"You have to-a-ken my heart..."

Suddenly all the bright scene revolved kaleidoscopically for the girl. She was dizzy; her palms were wet with the revelation of the moment. There was some angle in the air, something had sprung up between her and this lean, long-legged young man with the narrow dark eyes and the reluctantly won smile.

"Boots," Barbara... he looked toward her, his brown hand capturing her small white one. "Do you know you're most awfully pretty to-day?"

The mists cleared away, the landscape righted itself, and only her heart, pounding, pounding under the thin organs of her blouse, testified to the gladness of the moment.

"Really?" This was nonsense, she reminded herself swiftly and sternly. She was Rusa Lund's widow and Denis was in love with Kay Chillingford. He wasn't in the least interested in her. That speech he had last uttered was the merest pleasantry, the likeliest compliment.

Confused, she gathered up her purse and gloves. "We—we really ought to be getting back," she protested, looking vaguely about her.

Denis followed. Oh, come, he argued, how about swimming? How about going on down to Easthampton? The Cranes, his cousins, had been asking him to drop in for ages. They had bathhouses simply running over with extra bathing suits.

"I don't know," Boots told him, wavering. The prospect was enticing. The rest of this golden breezy afternoon with this man as against a long, lonely evening in her room. Wisdom counselled flight but she was young and inclination won.

She might as well enjoy all this she told herself recklessly as the car sped along the abandoned, dipping roads where every vista was a delight. To-morrow she would be back among the chintzes, neat in her thin black with the white collar, but tired, faded under her new sun-burn. She might as well have this day to remember.

The Cranes, a long-legged set of youngsters with blazing blue eyes and lantern jaws, variously introduced as Jinny, Kits and Leo, flung themselves upon Denis with enthusiasm.

"You brought a girl! Well," said Leo, surveying Boots with interest. Jinny and Kits, the twins, announced that Mother was at the Hayfields garden party. Nobody knew why or how she'd got there but somebody must call for her at seven. Meantime would Boots have a cocktail?

Would somebody get her a bathing suit? She dressed in a big, airy cabana at the water's very edge. The heady tang of salt air was in her nostrils. No cocktail would have affected her like this.

Shyly she came out into the dazzling light. The others were variously disposed. Kits was lying on a canvas cot under a striped red and white umbrella. Leo was agitating a mammoth silver shaker. Denis, already in bathing kit, sat tailor-fashion on a rug at the edge of Kits' cot, conversing with his cousin in low tones. As Boots appeared he jumped to his feet.

"I say!" Leo shouted. "Doesn't she look simply swell?" The white rubber suit with its scarf-like bodies indeed suited the delicious curves of Boots' slim body. She had left her hair free. It was like spun silk in the sunshine.

"First time for me this year," she said, taking the cushion Denis placed for her. She was suddenly alone

suffocated with shyness. It was absurd. All her life she had gone unconcernedly about in the briefest of casual swimming garments. Now, with Denis' eyes on her slim rounded shoulders, she felt self-conscious. "Not really?" Kits drawled. "Don't you mind?"

She nodded. Yes, she hadn't realized until this moment how much she had minded being away from all this, the sea, and the white burning sand and the warm sun burning over all.

"Miss being a beach club girl?" She looked up, flushing, into Denis' keen eyes. He was uncanny. He had been reading her very thoughts.

"Oh, I do!" And yet—and yet she wasn't sure she meant it. She missed the ease and warm indolence of the life but she was proud to think she had stood on her own feet this year, without anyone's help or connivance. She had proved, at least, that she wasn't only a beach club girl—a waster—a parasite!

She let the sand slip through her fingers. "Going in?" Denis had her arm. They were racing along the beach. Now they were cleaving the water with their bodies and the strong, remembered tang of salt was on her lips.

The beautiful clean strokes came back to her and she felt again the pure exhilaration of swimming. Oh, it was delicious to be back in her own element of sun and air and glittering sea after this long interlude, with Denis beside her.

Then she heard Jinny shout from the water's edge. "Denis! Come along in. Look who's here!" Boots flung the drops out of her eyes. There, elegant and poised, in floating summer silks, stood Kay Chillingford.

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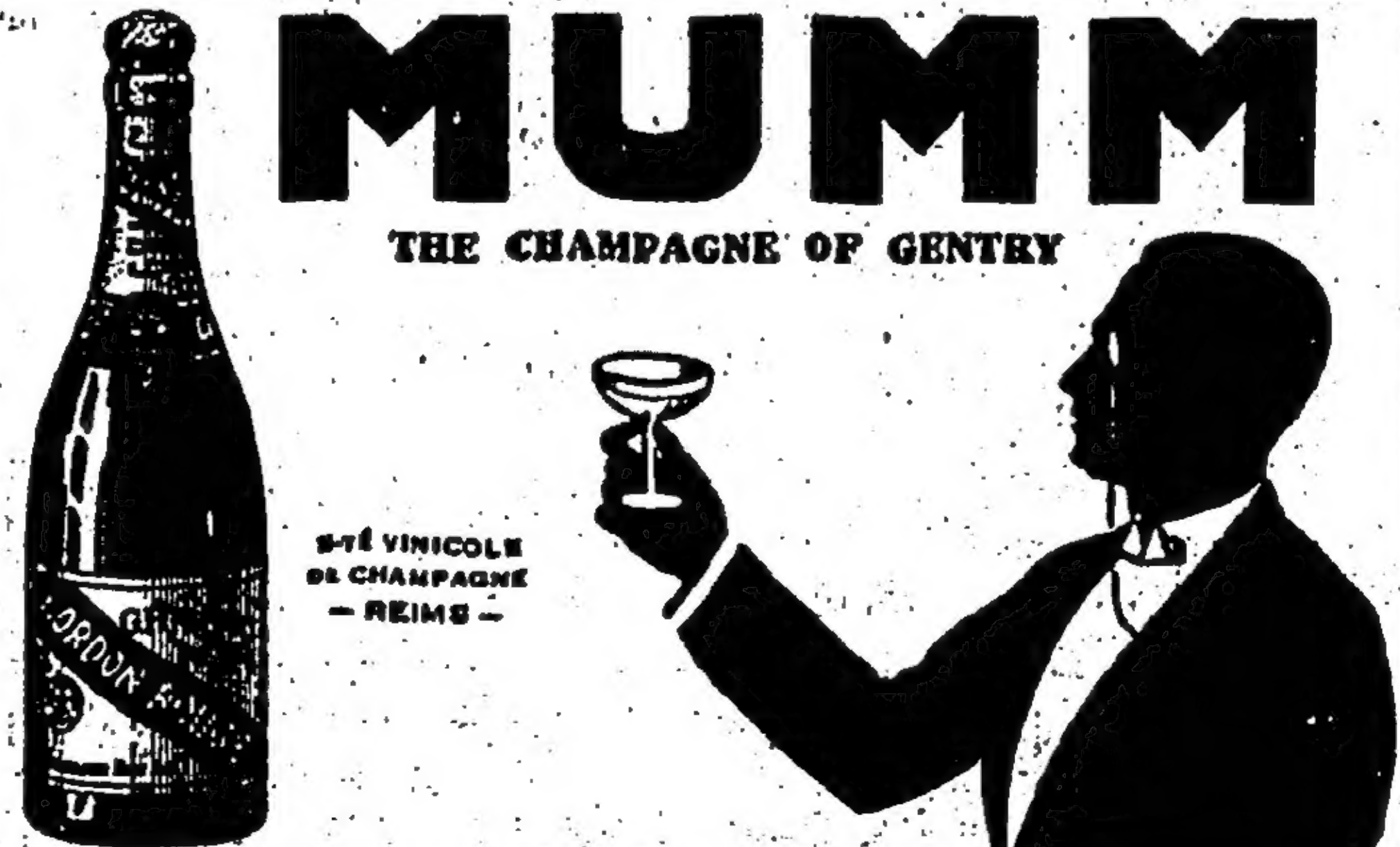
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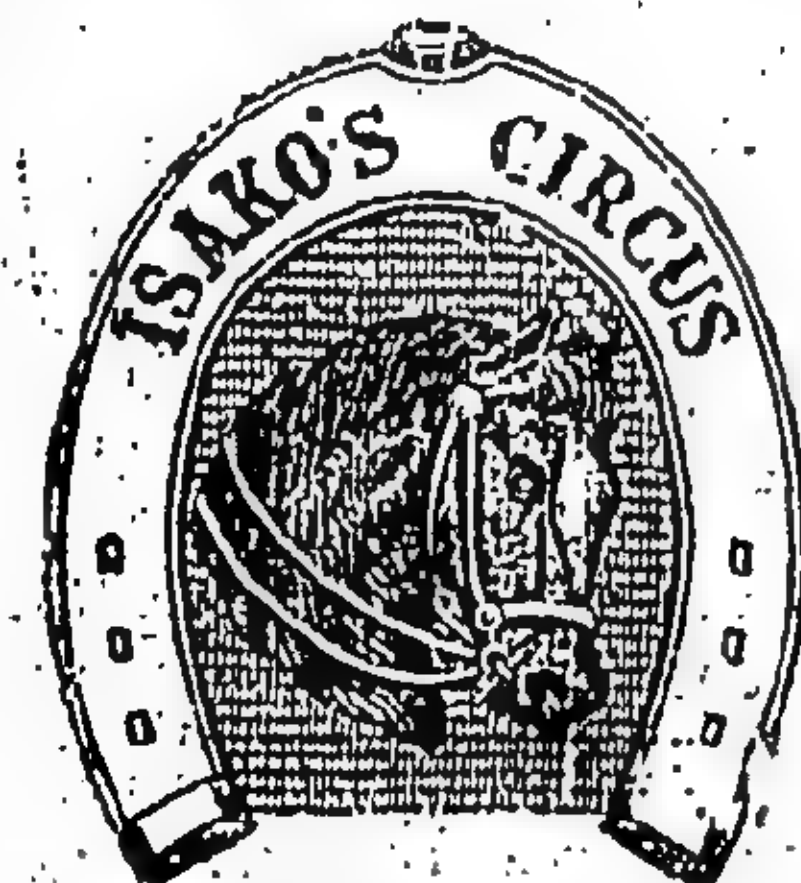
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The results of primaries everywhere seem to indicate that the Democrats are still in high favour with the country and where they stand a chance of losing, as against Senator La Follette and Mr. Upton Sinclair, they have tentatively supported these antagonistic candidates and made of them potential allies.—United Press.

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Mildenhall

London, Oct. 16.

Several interesting machines entered for the Melbourne Air Race, to-day, reached Mildenhall Aerodrome, from which the start will be made. They included a Fairway Fox entered by the Guinea Centenary Flight Syndicate, which is to be piloted by Messrs. Parer and Hemsworth, two Dutch machines, a big, cabin Douglas twin-engined airliner entered by the K.L.M., with Messrs. Parnett and Moll as pilots; a Pander S4 which is also a twin-engined monoplane, with Messrs. Asjes and Geyssendorp as pilots and Fronk as mechanic and Wireless Operator, and the Rish Hospitals Trust entry, Bellanca monoplane, piloted by Colonel Fitzmaurice and Mr. Bonar. The Douglas air-liner will carry three passengers including Fraulein Thea Rasche, well-known German airwoman.—British Wire- less.

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

DIZZY DEAN ELECTED
BY BIG MAJORITY

New York, Oct. 16.

The Chicago Committee of Eight, representing the Baseball Writers' Association of America, named Dizzy Dean, of the St. Louis Cardinals, world champions, the most valuable player in the National League in 1934.

Dean scored 78 of a possible 80 points in the balloting. Last year the most valuable player was Carl Hubbell.—Reuter.

obviate delays at level crossings, is to be inaugurated. Some of this work has already begun.

The cost will be shared between the Transport Ministry, the Port of London Authority, the London County Council and five local authorities.—British Wire- less.

SIX DEAD IN TYPHOON

MANILA REPORTS
FRAGMENTARY

10,000 HOMELESS

Manila, Oct. 17.

It is now learned that six persons are dead from drowning. At least half of Manila is flooded and reports are still fragmentary. The Police are patrolling and using boats where possible.

The Police estimate that more than 10,000 persons have been rendered homeless and that the damage done to the city alone will run into millions of pesos.

All the provinces within a hundred miles of Manila are still isolated.—Reuter.

MADAME GORDON'S CONCERT

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CELEBRATION

The musical reception and tea-party arranged by Madame Lottie Gordon, under the auspices of the Empire and Australian Music Link and Social Service Auxiliary, will take place at the Peninsula Hotel, (Green room, 1st floor) to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon.

Madame Gordon will give a recital of her Australian piano compositions, and Bush story monologues, also Chinese pieces. Songs will be rendered by Wilfred O'Brien, including an Australian folk song, and ex-soubrette solos will be played by Edna and Samira, the talented young Kowloon saxophonist. The first half of the concert will commence at 6.30, and tea will be served at 6 p.m.

The proceeds, after meeting expenses, will go to the Blind Girls' Home, the Naval Trust Fund and Empire Link Young Artist funds. Tickets can be obtained at Anderson's and Tsang Fook, and tables may be reserved by ringing up the Peninsula Hotel.

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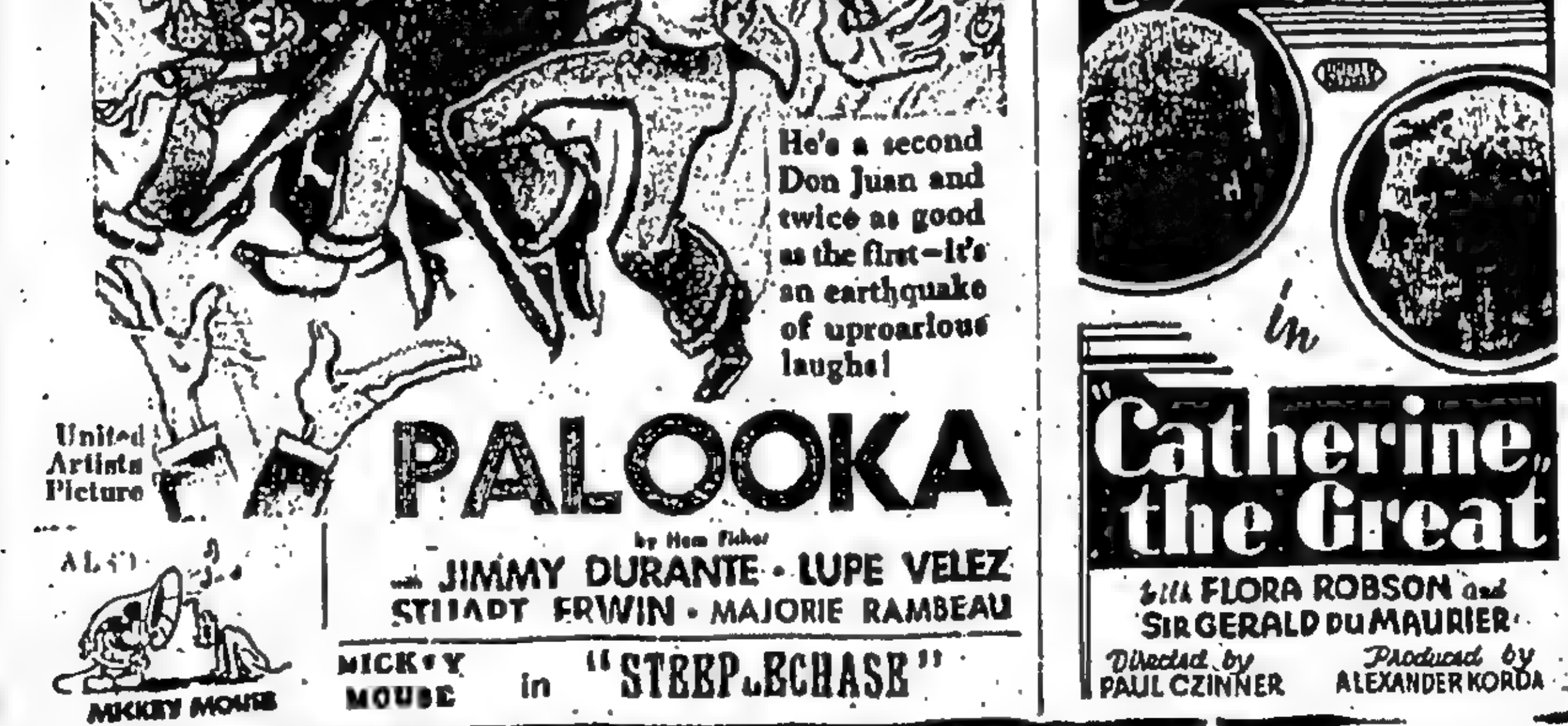
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BRITISH SPEEDBOAT SETS WORLD'S RECORD

SCOTT PAINE'S HEROIC RETIRING ACHIEVEMENT IN ITALY

A new world's record was established by Mr. Hubert Scott Paine, when he drove Miss Britain III. at an average speed of 177.185 k.p.h. (approximately 111 m.p.h.) over a measured mile at Venice.

This easily beats the late Sir Henry Segrave's speed of 92.68 m.p.h. and also beats Mr. Scott Paine's unofficial record of 102 m.p.h. established at Southampton last year.

Mr. Scott Paine actually covered the outward mile at a speed of 178.811 k.p.h. (approximately 112 m.p.h.), but he was slower coming back, his average being 176.666 k.p.h. (approximately 110 m.p.h.).

By having a mean average of 177.185 k.p.h. (approximately 111 m.p.h.) over the measured mile, Mr. Scott Paine broke the world's speed record for salt water, the world's single-engined boat record, the European sea mile record, and the Italian sea mile record. These records were previously held by the late Sir Henry Segrave with a speed of 92.68 m.p.h.

Mr. Scott Paine had a narrow escape from disaster when a seaplane landed across his bows.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Struggling like a bullet across the water at 110 m.p.h., the wash of the seaplane struck Miss Britain as a hard ridge. She jumped four times into the air, and it was only a miracle that the boat did not break her back or overturn.

"If the boat had not been so strongly built," said her driver, "those jumps would have broken her back."

The spray almost blinded Mr. Scott Paine and his mechanic, Gordon Thomas, but the former suffered a more severe discomfiture. Each time the driving seat forced its way against the small of his back at the exact spot where it had received such a buffeting in the Harmsworth Trophy races last year. So great was the pain that the British driver was, all but obliged to break off the attempt, but he pluckily stuck to it and thus gave his country more records and fresh prestige. He would, indeed, have made a further attempt had it not been for

made in 1929. Only one record did Mr. Paine fail to beat, and that was the Volti Trophy lap record of 124.825 k.p.h. (approx. 77.26 m.p.h.), set up in 1929 by Sir Henry Segrave.

Mr. Scott Paine's feat is all the more remarkable in that Miss Britain's engine is five years old and Mr. Scott Paine did not think he had sufficient room prior to the start to average over 100 miles an hour.

When one considers that the world record of 124.881 m.p.h., established by Commodore Garfield Wood, of America, was made with Miss America, a four-engined boat of 8,000 h.p., and that Miss Britain, with her single engine, is only of 1,375 h.p., one can readily see what a magnificent effort Mr. Scott Paine's was.

HIS LAST RACE.

"This was my last race," said the British speed-boat racer. "I have definitely decided to retire from the game. I am, therefore, especially glad to have set up these new records, in particular the world's speed record for salt water. If our heritage means anything to us, the salt water record is surely the one which should be of particular importance to us."

"My object has been to show that we can use a petrol engine and drive a boat with a better performance than anybody else. And I think I have proved this. I want to see, however, more attention given to motor boat racing in England. We have concentrated on the air and land records, but have neglected sea records, which, seeing that we are a sea-going nation, is not good for our national prestige."

Mr. Scott Paine was the designer of Miss England II, the boat in which Sir Henry Segrave established what was then the world's water speed record, and he himself he raced against Gar Wood, the American, who holds the present speed record, at 124 miles an hour, in an effort to regain the Harmsworth Trophy.

At Detroit a year ago, in the second heat of the Trophy contest, Mr. Scott Paine was beaten by only 22 seconds by Gar Wood's craft, the engines of which developed seven times more power than the British boat.



Mr. Max Reinhardt, famous theatrical producer, is to give America "A Midsummer Night's Dream." He is shown here with Miss Shearer, screen actress.

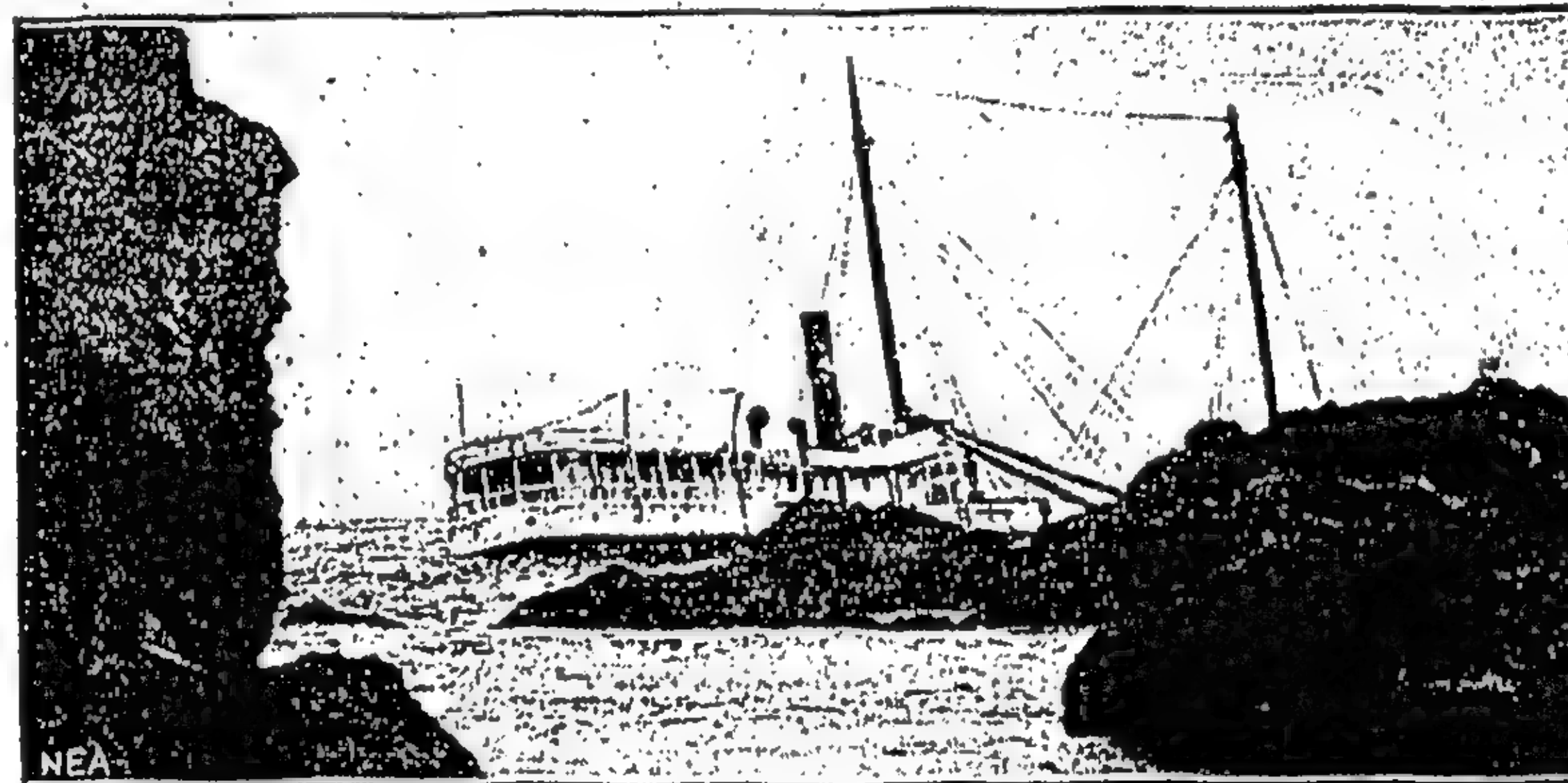
GRAIN LAND NOW DESERT

PLAN TO DIVERT RIVER

CANADA'S GRAVE PROBLEM

Ottawa, Oct. 1.

The reclamation of millions of acres of what was formerly the world's finest wheat land, now a desert of dry, powdery, windblown



The battered lumber schooner J. B. Stetson, shown hard aground on a rocky reef off the Monterey county, California, coast. The vessel crashed in a dense fog and was abandoned after a hopeless fight to free it from jagged rocks. A crew of 21 men was brought ashore by Coast Guards.

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NEW ZEALAND TO BENEFIT

AUSTRALIA LOSING ENGLAND MARKET

QUARREL OVER TARIFFS

Manchester, Sept. 23.

Long-suffering Lancashire has at last exploded with indignation—the cause being the discovery that the Commonwealth of Australia, in disregard of the spirit of the Ottawa Agreements, proposes to erect a prohibitive tariff against Lancashire's cotton goods.

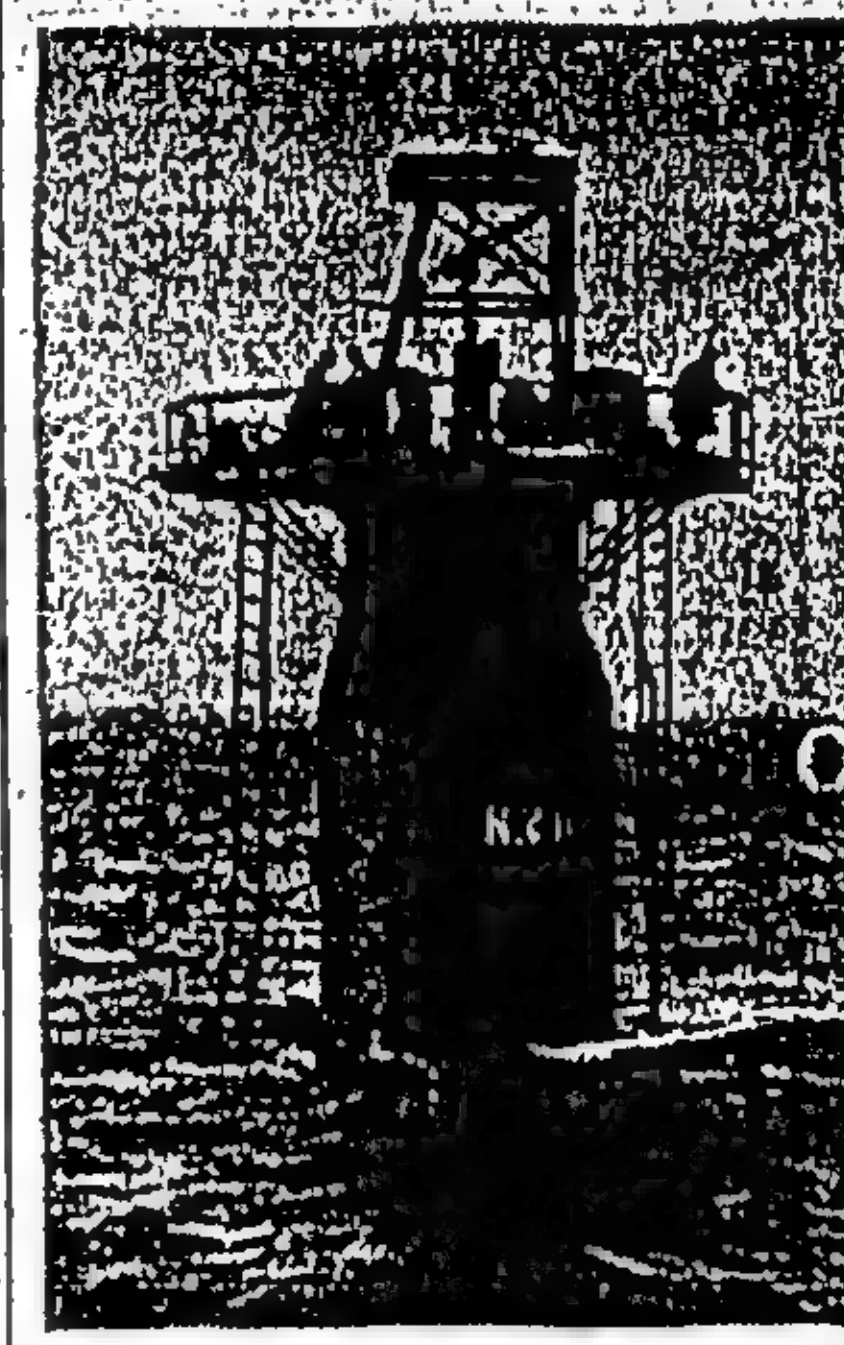
Feeling in Lancashire has run so high at this unexpected blow from one of the Dominions that many are urging a "boycott" of Australian dairy products unless the offending clauses are withdrawn. The association of growers in the mill town of Bolton have already agreed to handle no Australian produce until the tariff is withdrawn. This movement is spreading.

The cotton mills themselves have taken no part in the proposed "boycott" but they have sent an influential deputation to the Board of Trade in London and to the Australian High Commissioner.

Exports to Australia are vital to the trade in cotton piece goods. During the six months ending June 30, exports to that Dominion, at £1,785,662, ranked second only to the exports to the vast population of India, at £3,730,441. Argentina came third as a customer, with £1,498,128.

TARIFF DEMANDED.

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3,000 and 12,000 bales of cotton per annum.

But this combination of mills and growers has the ear of the Australian Labour Party. The argument submitted to the Tariff Commission was to the effect that if Australia went no further than Canada and provided for only two-thirds of its consumption, Queensland could market at home 200,000 bales of cotton, employing 20,000 farmers and 35,000 pickers.

This view appears to have carried the day, and the tariffs on certain lines which the four mills produce have been increased 100 per cent.

Perhaps the most serious aspect of the situation is its repercussion upon the relations between the Mother Country and the Dominion, especially during the forthcoming Imperial Conference. New Zealand, in its anxiety to sell its dairy



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The Agn Khan reads the racing news while at Geneva, as India's representative.

MURDERED HIS SON

SENTENCED TO DEATH

SORDID CASE IN LONDON

Sentence of death was passed by Mr. Justice Atkinson at the Old Bailey, London, on Thomas Joseph Davidson (34), a poultry breeder, for the murder of his son, whose body could not be found.

"There is no doubt," the Judge said in his summing-up, "that this boy died while he was in the sole custody of the prisoner. No one else knows what happened."

After an absence of a quarter of an hour the jury found Davidson guilty. They recommended him to mercy on account of the condition of his mind at the time the crime was committed.

Asked if he had anything to say, Davidson replied firmly, "No, sir."

Mr. Justice Atkinson, passing sentence of death, said that the recommendation to mercy would be sent to the proper quarter, together with any extenuating circumstances there might be in the case.

Davidson showed no emotion, but stood erect as sentence was passed. He seemed as if about to say something, but the warder tapped him on the shoulder and he left the dock.

Mrs. Davidson was not present in Court, and was told of the verdict in the hall outside by a friend.

Davidson had pleaded not guilty to the murder of his eight-year-old son, John Desmond Davidson, and the prosecution alleged that after the boy disappeared from Hanwell, Middlesex, in December last, the father made repeated statements that he had killed him and put him on a burning refuse dump. If he had done that the body would have been completely disappeared.

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against imports of cotton piece goods from the Mother Country. According to the evidence given to the Australian Tariff Commission, the Dominion has four small textile mills equipped with 63,000 spindles and 1,200 looms. Allied with them are the cotton growers of Queensland who produce, with the aid of a Government subsidy, between

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Baron Franz von Papen, former Vice Chancellor of Germany is due to get at the task of mending the seriously shattered relations between Germany and Austria. If the threatened Austrian revolt develops he will be kept busy. He is shown on his arrival by plane in Vienna.

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Members are reminded that, weather permitting, the Lawn Bowls Closing Day and "At Home" will be held on Sunday, the 21st October, 1934. Presentation of Prizes and Tea Dance.

U. M. OMAR,
Hon. Secretary

HONG KONG CRICKET CLUB NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on THURSDAY, the 25th October, 1934, a drawing for the redemption of thirty (30) Debentures will be held in the Pavilion at 6 p.m.

The numbers of the Debentures drawn will be published in the Hong Kong Government Gazette and the local Newspapers, and holders of drawn Debentures may, upon giving notice to the Treasurer, within the six months' notice to which they are entitled, apply on the 31st October, 1934, to the Treasurer, Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth & Fleming, for payment of the Principal and interest to the 31st October, 1934.

By Order of the Committee.
L. S. GREENHILL,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, 15th October, 1934.

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COLOURFUL SCENE AT STONE-LAYING

(Continued from Page 1.)

I prefer to take a different view. China and Hongkong were the last places to feel the full force of the world wide depression. Conditions elsewhere are now slowly but surely showing signs of recovery and the Far East should in due course participate in the general improvement. There is no organization better equipped to meet the trade requirements of China than "Wayfoong," thanks to the very cordial relations that exist between the Bank and its British, foreign and Chinese constituents.

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Perhaps on Mr. Grayburn has fallen the heaviest burden of all but the Directors have the fullest confidence in his ability and judgment and feel sure that the Bank will emerge from the present depression stronger than ever. (Applause)

This gathering to-day affords me the opportunity of expressing on behalf of the Directors their keen appreciation of the very excellent services rendered to the Bank by our Manager, Mr. L. N. Murphy, who is leaving the Colony on retirement two days' hence. We trust that he will be long spared to enjoy his well-earned leisure and to him and Mrs. Murphy we offer all good wishes for the future.

Before calling upon His Excellency the Governor to see that the Stone is well and truly laid I hope Lady Peel will be good enough to place the basket containing present day records of Hongkong in the niche provided for it.

TROWEL PRESENTED.

A silver trowel was then presented to His Excellency by Mr. G. L. Wilson, representing the architects, Messrs. Palmer and Turner. The trowel was inscribed:—"With this trowel was laid the Foundation Stone of the new Head Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation by His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., Governor of Hongkong, 12th October, 1934."

At the invitation of the Chairman of the Court of Directors, Lady Peel then placed a basket containing coins and notes of different denominations issued by the Bank, and copies of Hongkong newspapers containing articles on the construction and history of the Bank, into a crevice beneath the stone.

With the silver trowel His Excellency then laid the foundation stone and declared it "well and truly laid" after it had been inspected by H. E. the G.O.C. and the Colonial Secretary, Sir Thomas Southern.

HIS EXCELLENCY'S SPEECH.

Addressing the gathering His Excellency said:—"Mr. Mackie, Your Excellency, Ladies and Gentlemen—I regard it a very great privilege to have laid to-day the foundation stone of the new Head Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. It is a privilege of which I could never have dreamed when I first

became a humble depositor in the Bank nearly 37 years ago in Penang. I have been connected with the Bank in various places and shall probably continue to be a client for the rest of my days. However, my personal association is of little moment and I apologise for even referring to it.

I congratulate the Directors on their enterprise in building this new Head Office in Hongkong. In these days of dark depression it should help to instill a measure of confidence and foster the feeling that things are not perhaps so bad as is alleged. Further it affords evidence, if evidence be necessary, of the strength and the stability of the Corporation. I say advisedly "if such evidence be necessary," for there can be no doubt that the stability and strength of the Bank have stood the test of a long period of time.

FINE RECORD.

Since the Bank opened on the January 1, 1865, it has had a fine record. It is true that in the years 1874 and 1875 the trade position was bad and dividends were passed but with the appointment of new Chief Manager, Sir Thomas Jackson, the position improved and since then the Corporation has been uniformly prosperous. Its history may be said to have been interwoven with that of the Colony and in a large measure with that of the Far East. One of my predecessors, Sir Arthur Kennedy, said in the year 1872 "The most flourishing Corporation in Hongkong, the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, has acted like a thermometer indicating the periodic condition of the atmosphere of Hongkong." That is still true to-day.

For many years the Bank has undoubtedly added to British prestige and has enjoyed the confidence not only of both the local and home Governments but also of foreign governments, especially that of China. It has stood high in the estimation of the latter who in contracting with it in December 1874 for a loan of £600,000 at 8 per cent. readily agreed to the whole revenues of the Imperial Maritime Customs being regarded as security for such loan.

I would add that the Government of this Colony is greatly indebted to the Bank for much advice and help. (Applause)

UNIQUE POSITION.

The post of the Chief Manager of the Corporation is almost unique. There is no doubt that he wields very great power—it has been suggested indeed in certain quarters that perhaps his power is too great to be vested in one individual. Be that as it may, there is no doubt that the position demands a man of broad views, courage and ability. The Bank has generally speaking been most fortunate in the holders of the appointment. It is perhaps invidious to mention any particular names, but I think I may be permitted to refer in particular to two very notable holders—Sir Thomas Jackson whose statue looks benevolently down on this ceremony to-day, and Sir Newton Stubb whose death a few years ago while he was still in harness constituted a serious loss to the Bank. In the present holder of the post, Mr. Grayburn, we have an able successor to past holders. Since he assumed the duties of the appointment about four and a half years ago he has had very difficult problems to contend with and he has shown great ability and courage in dealing with them, and the Colony is

indebted to him for his able handling of such problem especially that of currency. (Applause).

IMPRESSIVE BUILDING.

I congratulate the architects of this new building. We cannot yet see on the site itself its ultimate form but I and no doubt many of you here have seen the model and will agree that it will prove a notable addition to the architecture of this Colony. This may possibly be deemed to be damming it with faint praise as architecture in Hongkong might almost be described as deplorable. It is pleasing therefore to think that we are going to have a building as impressive as this promises to be. (Applause)

I also congratulate the engineers on the efficient way in which they are carrying out the contract. I understand that they have had considerable difficulties to contend with but have been able to surmount them. Meanwhile they may be said to afford us a flavour of the old country for there are times when one might from the noise imagine oneself to be in one of the busy industrial centres in the North of England. I realize however that this is unavoidable if the work is to be carried out expeditiously and that for a time at all events this locality must be excluded from any possible "zones of silence."

In conclusion on behalf of all present I take the opportunity of this ceremony to-day to wish the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation continued prosperity. (Applause)

MR. GRAYBURN'S THANKS.

Returning thanks to His Excellency on behalf of the Corporation the General Manager, Mr. V. M. Grayburn said:—"Your Excellencies, Ladies and Gentlemen—I have to thank Your Excellency for honouring us to-day by laying the foundation stone of our new Building. It is nearly four years ago since I approached Your Excellency with regard to the purchase of part of this site, and negotiations were made easy by your enthusiasm over the proposition which you have since enlarged upon and Hongkong will one day see and profit by your foresight. It is fitting therefore that you should lay the foundation stone to-day, and it is our earnest wish that you will be here next year to open the new Building in the birth of which you played no small part. Your Excellency, I thank you on behalf of us all, shareholders and staff. I will now ask our eldest

HEAVY PRESSURE ON REDS

SIMULTANEOUS PUSH ON TWO FRONTS

JUICHIN MENACED

Nanchang, Oct. 16.
The Anti-Red Headquarters announced to-day that the Government forces were carrying on operations with the utmost vigour against the Reds following the occupation of Hsingkuo.

The Government vanguard reached the environs of Juichin, the capital of the Chinese Soviet Government, yesterday.

Pressure is being brought against the Red capital both from the northern front in Kiangsi and western front in Fukien, where the East Route Anti-Red Army is renewing its attacks on Changting.—Central News.

Bank child, Joan Davidson, to make a small presentation to Lady Peel.

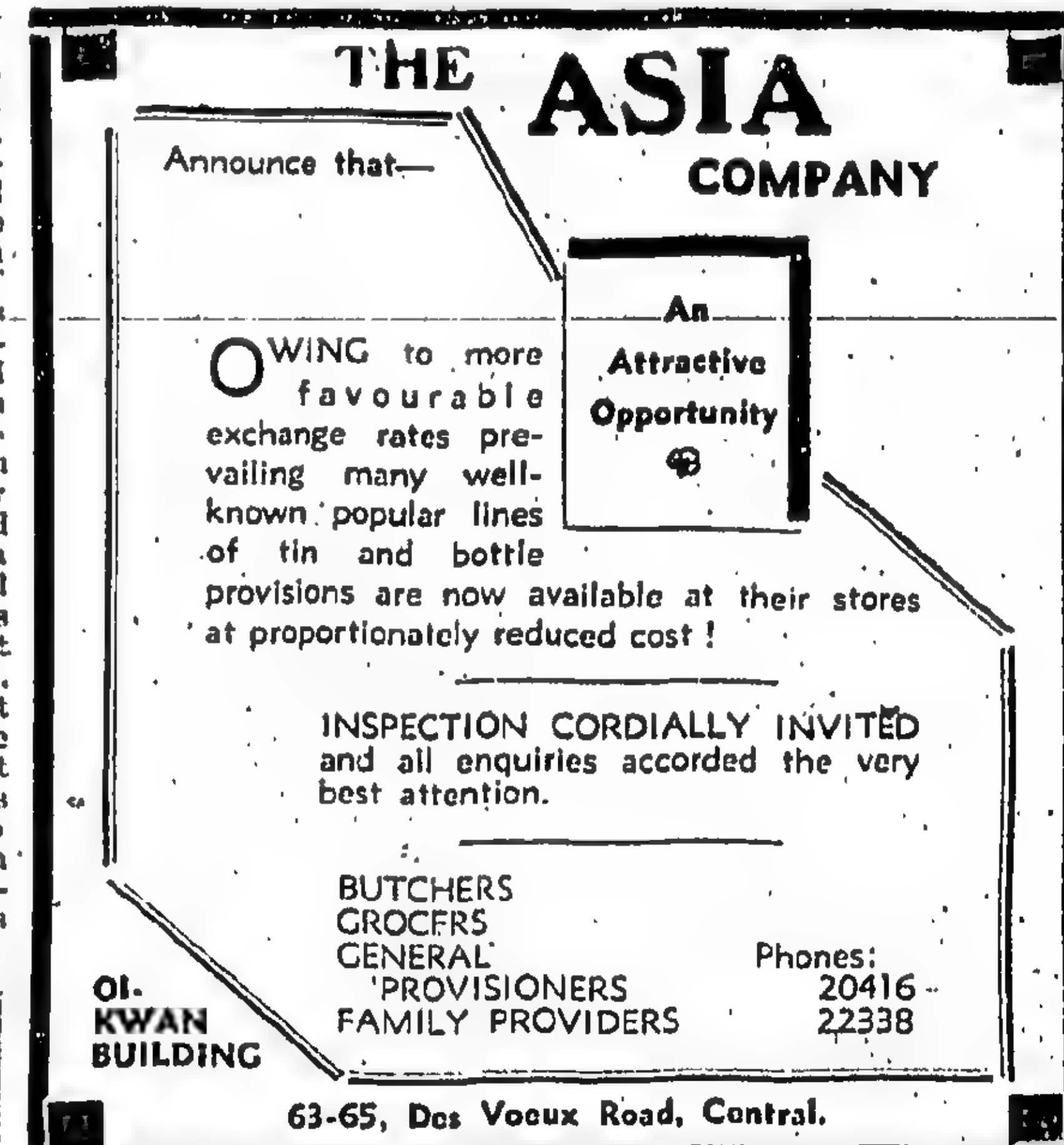
The ceremony was brought to a close by the presentation of a bouquet of flowers to Lady Peel by little Miss Joan Davidson, after which the guests adjourned to the interior of the partially-completed building where a reception was held.

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Mr. D'Oby appeared for his son before Mr. D. M. MacDougall, at the District Office South, this morning, on charges of driving car No. 1006 on September 30 in a manner dangerous to the public, and failing to report a collision which took place the same day on the Castle Peak Road. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$15 on the charge of dangerous driving and \$2 for failing to report the accident.

Inspector A. Nicoll, in giving an outline of the case, said that on the evening of September 30, Mr. Jeffreys, of the Hongkong Telephone Co., was driving private car No. 1246, owned by the Far East Motors, from Castle Peak in the direction of Kowloon. When ascending the hill from Kwai Chung, and about half way up a fairly sharp bend, private car No. 1006, driven by D'Oby, Jr., attempted to overtake and pass Mr. Jeffreys' car. The driver sounded his horn. Whilst the two cars were in this position, private car No. 249, driven by Mr. H. M. Findlay, suddenly appeared from the opposite direction and, to avoid a head-on collision with car No. 1006, Mr. Findlay applied his brakes and stopped almost dead. Mr. Findlay was driving on his left side.

D'Oby, Jr., also made an attempt to avoid colliding with Mr. Findlay's car, swerved to his left and collided with the off-side front mud-guard of Mr. Jeffreys' car. There were six passengers including Mr. Jeffreys in his car. Mr. Jeffreys informed Mr. MacDougall that D'Oby, Jr., must have been overtaking his car at about 30 m.p.h.

"The accident," he continued, "occurred about 6.30 p.m., almost dusk. Mr. Findlay's car had its lights on, otherwise I would not have been able to see and there would have been another accident."

Mr. D'Oby, who had been travelling in car No. 1006 at the time of the accident, said his son tried to pass the three cars in front as they were going too slowly. Mr. D'Oby hardly felt the bump against Mr. Jeffreys' car and, as there were no marks on his car, he thought nothing of the accident and, therefore, did not make a report to the police. Mr. Jeffreys: I had to shout to D'Oby, Jr., to get him to keep back. Inspector Nicoll said that

D'Oby, Jr., had been driving since December 21, 1933, and had a clear record.

Mr. MacDougall fined D'Oby \$15 for dangerous driving and, as the other charge was not so serious, imposed a nominal fine of \$2. To Mr. D'Oby he said: "However slight an accident there is, you must report it at once to the police."

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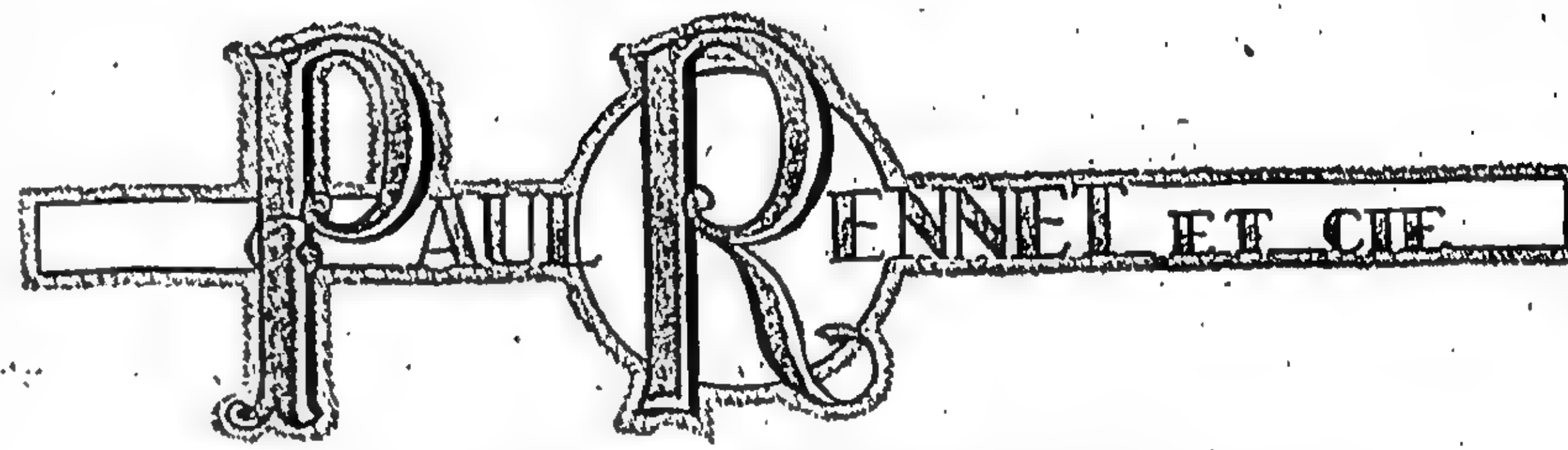
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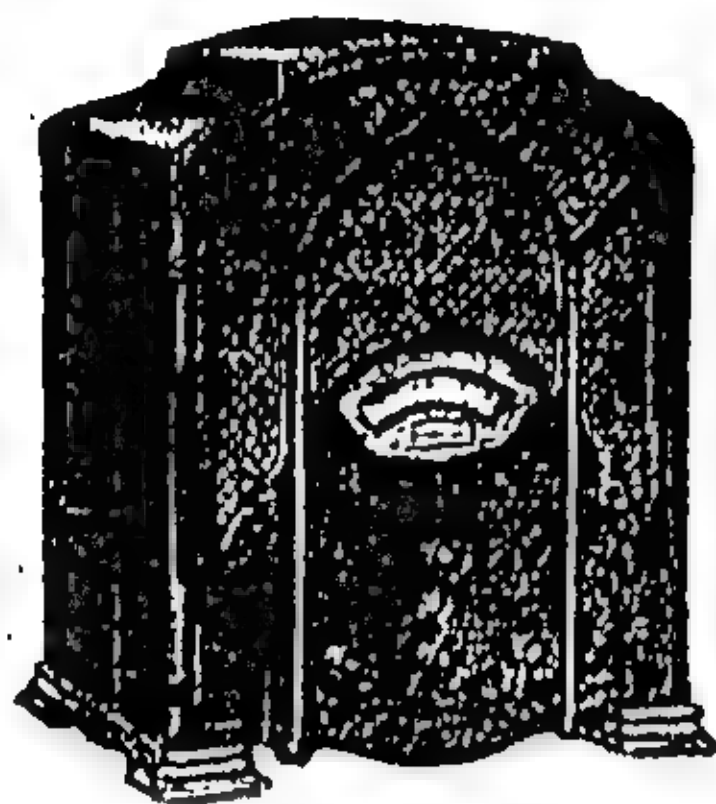
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WEDNESDAY, OCT. 17, 1934.

STREET SLEEPERS' APPEAL

The appeal which has been launched for a minimum sum of four thousand dollars to permit of the expansion of the work of the Street Sleepers' Shelter Society is one which should meet with a ready response. It is not too much to say that this Society is discharging one of the most humane and essential pieces of social work ever undertaken by any organisation in the Colony. Until it began its self-imposed task, it was a standing reproach to the whole Colony that night after night, during the cold winter weather, hundreds of poor people should be found huddled up on pavements and such other spots as they could find in which to pass the hours of sleep. For many years, with each successive cold season, the plight of these unfortunates was the subject of passing comment, but the difficulties of dealing with the problem which they presented were so magnified as to result in general acceptance of the viewpoint that nothing could really be done in the matter. Thanks, however, to a few ardent souls who refused to be discouraged by the admitted obstacles, a start was eventually made by adaptation of the old St. Peter's Church as headquarters, and the experience thus gained has proved once and for all that the problem can be tackled with a large measure of success. The Society admits quite frankly that it has so far been able to touch only the fringe of the question, but it has been so encouraged by the results already obtained that it has laid plans for the provision of another shelter in a locality in which a census has shown that there are usually over five hundred street sleepers nightly. But this is only part of its scheme. The eventual hope is to establish shelters in various other districts, until the time comes when street-sleeping will be a thing of the past. A point which needs stressing is that these people, who are being given shelter in clean and comfortable surroundings, are genuine residents of the Colony for the greater part. They are mostly unemployed, either through old age or inability to get work, and are most appreciative of what is being done for them. The old bogey that the opening of such institutions would attract no-er-do-wells from places outside the Colony has been shown to be only a bogey, a fact which is demonstrated by the enquiries made from Canton and Swatow as to how the shelters are worked, so that similar institutions may be

NOTES OF THE DAY

ANOTHER SCARE

Vienna has had another scare. It was learned by intercepting Communist plotters' messages, that a putsch was being planned, and troops and police were hastily sent to vantage points in the city, armed with machine-guns. The authorities are taking no chances. And no wonder! Austria has had two civil wars within the year and two more embryo rebellions have been nipped. With the tension between Yugoslavia and Hungary developing, following the assassination of King Alexander, and the rivalries of other powers in the Balkans, the statesmen in Vienna are not always easy in their minds. With Dr. Kurt Schuschnigg as Chancellor and his skilful diplomacy, and Prince von Starheimberg as chief of the Heimwehr and ready to meet trouble with a most unpleasant remedy, Austria should be able to keep her house in order, and there is little likelihood of danger arising from that point as it did during the Nazi revolt in July.

ANOTHER STORY

Between Yugoslavia and Hungary, however, relations are strained. Yugoslavia's warlike people are in no mood for argument. They have just lost a king whom most admired and respected, of whatever party they might be, and they have laid the blame with some justice—at Hungary's door. They declare that the terrorists who plotted the assassination of King Alexander sheltered on Hungarian soil, and in this they are correct. But the charge that the terrorists' activities were tolerated and winked at by the Hungarian Government is another matter. That has yet to be proved. It is to be hoped that the response to the Budapest protest to Budapest will be of the variety that "turneth away wrath."

A POET

That imagination and the mathematical mind may be co-existent in a single brain has been recalled by the erection recently of a canopy over the tomb of Omar Khayyam, at Nishapur, Persia. English-speaking people are familiar with this duality in the case of "Lewis Carroll," author of "Alice in Wonderland," and Rev. C. L. Dodgson, for many years a mathematician lecturer at Oxford and writer of mathematical works. They are one and the same person. Dodgson's "Euclid and His Modern Rivals," his most noted book, is the obverse side of the whimsical romances of the whole "Alice" series. The Persian poet, whose fatalism has been made so attractive in Fitzgerald's beautiful lines, was also a mathematician. Like Dodgson, he knew his Euclid. Indeed he was one of the most prominent of mathematicians of his age, and blazed the way to the modern union of analysis and geometry by his classification and systematic study of equations. From the brain that was full of conics, cubics, quadratics, biquadratics and the like, came the compelling thought:

The moving finger writes; and, having writ,
Moves on. Not all your piety
Nor wit
Can lure it back to cancel half a line,
Nor can you tears wipe out a word of it.

AND MATHEMATICIAN

It is one of the ironies of literature that Omar's countrymen, probably because of clerical influence which considered him a heretic, have long forgotten his verse, while remembering his mathematical and astronomical researches. When the late Sir Mortimer Durand, according to *The Manchester Guardian*, asked Shah Nour ed Din whether something could not be done to repair Omar's grave, the monarch laughed and said: "Do you mean to tell me that there is a society in England connected with Omar Khayyam? Why, he has been dead a thousand years. Besides, we have better poets than Omar." Englishmen, however, who may not know the Persian scientist love the music of the "lent-maker's" verse. They may have never heard of Dodgson the mathematician but have taken to their heart Lewis Carroll, the dreamer.

provided in these cities. It is also to be noted that the Society has been able to find work for some of the most deserving cases, and as its activities are extended it will doubtless be found possible to do even more still in this direction. A word of tribute is due to the volunteers workers and others actively interested in the movement, but their greatest satisfaction arises from the knowledge that they are discharging a really useful piece of communal work. It is now for the public to do its part by providing the means without which the Society will be unable to function to the full extent of its intentions and desires.

PUT LAND TO USE AND MEN TO WORK

By RICHARD ST. B. BAKER

The author of this article is chairman of the Forestry Association of Great Britain and founder of The Men of the Trees. Describing the big forestry work inaugurated by President Roosevelt under N.R.A., he pleads for a forestry scheme for Britain, to provide healthy employment for thousands who are out of work.

TO the man who enjoys three square meals a day it may or may not be of concern that there are thousands for whom life offers no prospects in their old occupations. Tens of thousands, more, leaving school, and not knowing where to look for employment, are suffering from moral and physical deterioration.

To them and those concerned in their future welfare, news of the success of the Forestry Camps of America may bring fresh hope and even suggest to our own Government a means of providing immediate employment for many.

My work as Forestry Adviser in America enables me to speak from personal experience of the forestry work inaugurated by President Roosevelt. After his inauguration, one of his first measures was the establishment of a volunteer civil conservation corps of young men, and this proved to be one of the most popular schemes carried through under the New Deal.

I have seen these young men living very close to nature and camped mostly in the wildest places, for it is usually in such places that the forest can best be improved. Here in the woods their meals were in the open, even in pouring rain. They had to fetch and carry water, and cut wood for fuel. Except for their daily ration they were dependent upon themselves for everything.

Healthy? Of course they were healthy, both in mind and body. More than that, they were creative. They had hewed a home from the wilderness, and were carrying out work of national importance.

They were thinning and improving the forests of their land, cutting fire lines for protection, and planting trees—not only to produce timber, but to conserve moisture and reduce the risk of droughts.

To-day there are over 350,000 of them working in the woods. Ask any one of them whether he would change his life for city lights and he would laugh at you—he simply would not be in camp unless he wanted to be. There are many more applications than vacancies.

Do they work? Judge for yourself when I tell you that this army of woodmen and foresters has in the course of one year saved over £45,000,000 worth of

forest from being lost by fire. They have improved 5,000,000 acres by thinning, clearing and other means, and over 300,000 acres have been freshly planted with trees. In addition, campaigns against tree diseases and harmful insects have been carried out on 10,000,000 acres.

More important, however, than material gains is the effect of such work on moral. I believe that in England to-day the overwhelming majority of unemployed who are now walking the streets and receiving relief would infinitely prefer to work like the lads in the forest camps of America. They would like to plant up those derelict-looking slag heaps which scar the face of the land and turn the Black Country into beautiful forest scenery.

Forestry is of urgent importance to England now. Although we have beautiful trees, our country is very badly off for forests. During the war four-fifths of our woodlands were sacrificed. That is having an adverse effect on our water supply. At the present rate of planting it will take 140 years to regain the position held before the war.

Furthermore, in a single year we have paid to foreign countries over £70,000,000 for timber, much of which might have been grown at home, providing work for thousands.

The Forestry Association of Great Britain is supporting a plan for a nationally-conceived scheme to give employment to 20,000 people in forestry on three million acres of waste land, half of which is in England and Wales and half in Scotland. What is the reason why this plan should not be put into operation at once? It has been calculated that every day this plan is postponed the loss to the nation is over £200,000 in timber which might be growing on those three million idle acres and producing this value of timber daily.

Before the war there were about 40 uses for wood. To-day there are over 4,000 uses for forest products in one form or another. The U.S.A. had cut seven-eighths of its virgin forest and while it is already Canada's largest customer, it is now being driven back on Russia for supplies, and that country, at the present rate of cutting, will deplete its accessible forests in thirty or forty years.

In view of the present world situation it would be unwise to continue to depend so greatly upon other nations to supply our needs. Although we are no longer dependent upon "Wooden Walls" as bulwarks of defence, nevertheless wood still plays an important part in our national safety. It has been well said that if a nation saves the trees, the trees will save the nation.



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A DOG'S LIFE

By George

DEAR GEORGE, As a Peakite of considerable longevity I wish to draw your attention to the attempts being made by our local magistrates to disparage the status of Peak Dwellers and Their Dogs.

I refer, Sir, to the invidious practice of imposing a fine of £15 on dogs which commit offences on the Kowloon side as against a mere \$10 fine on this side.

The Secretary of the Dear Dogs Society has asked me to say that we on this side feel rather piqued at the distinction.

It is meant to be a slur on the quality of the dogs on this side? If so I may point out that many residents are proud of the fact that their pets have a longer pedigree than their owners in many cases, whereas a Kowloon dog's pedigree is no longer than a dachshund.

May I beg, Sir, for the discontinuation of a practice which, while it promotes bad feeling between the taipan and the clerk also aims a blow at the social status of the canine population on this side.

In the meantime an attitude of passive resistance is being maintained here, the dogs refusing to leave the house except for the most necessary purposes.

I enclose \$50 collected from Peak dwellers as a donation to the S.P.C.A. and trust that the public will not allow matters to remain where they are at present.

Yours etc.,

S. Paniel.

DUMB-BELLES LETTRES.

By Juliet Lovell.

High-Low!

Book of the Month Club

New York City

Received my book for month of August.

Would like to no if I can get another book as this month's book seems to be too large for an ordinary library. It don't make a difference how thick a book is but the height of it, what's bad.

Yours truly,

Adolph C.

(signed)



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Reverse Order.

Dear Congressman F—

My very heartfelt congratulations on your election to the Senate. You are the first to achieve the honour of going direct from prison to Congress. It is usually the other way around.

Cordial greetings,

Malcolm B.

(signed)

That's Bound To Make Husband Blue.

Household Hints Column

Dear Editor:

My husband always finds fault with my blueberry pie. Would you send me a recipe? I don't know what's wrong with mine unless perhaps I put in too much bluing.

Thanking you in advance,

Mrs. Cora B.

(signed)

You'd Be Surprised!

Fashion Column

Dear Fashion Editor:

Fashionable people are always ahead of the styles. I have an organdy dress, would it make me fashionable to wear it New Year's Eve?

Thanking you for a reply,

Cordella B.

(signed)

Time Out.

Pearl Howard Dress Shop

17 East 65th Street

New York City

I was in your shop about three years ago, and made a \$5.00 deposit on a dress. There was some alteration but I forgot to come in for a fitting. Please send me the money as I can use it now.

Myra E.

(signed)

YUGO-SLAV GUARDS OPEN FIRE

HUNGARIAN SHOT DEAD

NEW DISPUTE NOW FEARED

Budapest, Oct. 16. The border population is becoming most anxious owing to the Yugo-Slavian frontier guards' shooting of a Hungarian yesterday.

The Hungarian, Franz Konec, was shot dead when he accidentally crossed the frontier.

The incident is regarded as the outcome of the excitement in Yugo-Slavia following assassination of King Alexander.

In view of past frontier incidents, which led to disputes which the League of Nations considered earlier in the year, similar troubles are feared.—Reuter.

TERRORISTS ROUNDED UP.

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Mein, Oct. 16.

There was a dramatic moment at the police station here to-day when the head of the Yugo-Slavian police walked up to the man Malny, suspected member of the terrorist gang which murdered King Alexander of Yugo-Slavia, and who was arrested yesterday.

The Belgrade official scrutinized the prisoner for a few minutes and then identified him as a former chauffeur employed in Belgrade.

Malny thereupon admitted that his real name was Miron, that he was born in 1908 in Yugo-Slavia.

He confessed that he had been under orders to shoot King Alexander and was beside the assassin Kalemek, killed by police sabres, at the time of the crime. But he admitted that he was too frightened to participate in the actual killing.

Knowing that, by his participation in the assassination, he was liable to sentence of death, he did not rejoin his companions who were arrested just outside Marseilles two days after the murder.—Reuter Special.

CAREER OF TERRORISM.

Paris, Oct. 16. The Belgrade police, in co-operation with the French authorities, have definitely established the identity of King Alexander's assassin, whose fingerprints have been found to correspond with those of Vladimir Georgievich Teheromzemski, born in Macedonia in 1897, who became a member of the Macedonian terrorist organization and who committed two Bulgarian political assassinations in 1924.

He was sentenced to death for these crimes in 1932 but was released in the general amnesty shortly afterwards, and then joined a Croat terrorist organization.—Reuter.

SPECIAL ART BARGAINS

TO MARK MR. KOMOR'S JUBILEE

To celebrate Mr. Siegfried Komor's activities, for a half century, the well known firm of Komor & Komor are making a special display of fine modern and ancient Oriental art. Visitors are welcome and purchasers will be pleased to learn that they can obtain valuable Christmas presents and curios at amazingly low prices. Several exceptionally fine ivory and one very fine piece of jade from Mr. Komor's personal collection are on display.

The slogan of the House is: "Try and please everybody."

There are articles to suit all pockets and some pieces will be sold at half their real value.

THE TYPHOON

The Royal Observatory reports that an intense anticyclone covers China and the adjacent seas, pressure being highest over the Yangtze Valley. The typhoon is situated about 80 miles east of the Macao Peninsula (370 miles S.E. of Hongkong) moving W.N.W. Local forecast:—N.E. winds, strong; Mr. The N.E. winds are likely to reach gale force to the south and south-east of Hongkong.

Murder Appeal Dismissed

"RATIONAL CONCLUSION"

The Court of Criminal Appeal this morning dismissed the appeal against the conviction and sentence to death of Ng Lok-yuen for the murder of Michael Pine.

Dealing with the admissibility of the evidence of Mrs. Fairburn, Mr. Justice Jackson said that counsel for the appellant submitted that the evidence was inadmissible and should not have been put to the jury in the absence of the evidence of Mary Pine, but the Court felt no hesitation in coming to the conclusion that her evidence formed part of the *res gestae* and was therefore admissible.

"With regard to the refusal of the learned Trial Judge to withdraw the case from the jury at the close of the case for the Crown," added Mr. Justice Jackson, "we are satisfied that the cumulative effect of the evidence for the prosecution was such as to call for an explanation on the part of the appellant. We therefore consider that the learned Trial Judge was correct in refusing to withdraw the case from the jury."

PROPER DISCRETION.

"The point that the Trial Judge refused to withdraw the case from the jury on the failure of the Crown to produce Mary Pine as a witness was a matter for the discretion of the Trial Judge with which we have no power to interfere. In this case, we consider that the discretion was properly exercised."

Referring to the next ground of appeal—that the verdict was against the weight of the evidence—Mr. Justice Jackson said that in order to succeed, it was for the appellant to show that the verdict was unreasonable and could not be supported having regard to the evidence.

In the opinion of the Court, the evidence showed that the appellant had both the opportunity and the motive for committing the crime, and the fact that he was seen to have thrown two of the children from the bridge into the nullah and was observed being carried by the current down the nullah at the same time as Norman Stone and Michael and Mary Pine were being carried along it, led one irresistibly to the conclusion that all five children and the appellant entered the nullah at approximately the same time.

COINCIDENCE TOO GREAT.

The defence had admitted that the appellant threw or dropped Tony Flood and Fay Bromley into the nullah, but suggested that the other children either accidentally fell from the bridge into the nullah, or that they climbed into the nullah and then accidentally slipped into the water. "We think it to be too great a coincidence that the other three children should have accidentally fallen into the nullah at the same time as the appellant threw Tony Flood and Fay Bromley into the water," Mr. Justice Jackson continued. "We therefore consider the verdict not to have been against the weight of the evidence."

Coming to the question of fact, it had been submitted that there was a miscarriage of justice in that the statement in the Crown opening relating to Mary Pine's evidence was erroneously prefaced by the words "I have seen the body" which was used by counsel for the Crown and such a material bearing on the issue and were of such serious import that the jury could not, notwithstanding any caution by the Judge, put the matter entirely from their minds.

JURY WARNED.

The Court could not agree with that contention, for the statements referred to were not supported by any evidence, and the Trial Judge had taken special care not only to warn the jury to pay no attention to those remarks, but throughout his summing-up, he impressed upon the jury that there was no direct evidence to show that the appellant had thrown Michael Pine into the nullah, and on at least two occasions he directed them that if they had any reasonable doubt that the appellant caused Michael Pine's death, they should give him the benefit of that doubt.

Bearing this in mind, the Court could not believe that the statements in question made by counsel for the Crown at the opening of the case actuated the minds of the jury when considering their verdict.

"We are of the opinion that, apart from any evidence which Mary Pine might have given, the evidence adduced at the trial was sufficient to enable the jury to arrive at their verdict. We consider that it was the only rational conclusion they could have reached, and that there was therefore

U.S. SEAMEN HELD FOR ASSAULT

UNION'S FEUD CARRIED ON

DOLLAR SHIP'S MEN INVOLVED

Shanghai, Oct. 17. Friction between Union and non-Union seamen on the President Jefferson, which arrived here yesterday from Seattle, caused the removal of seven members of the crew to gaol last night.

It was learned that friction occurred first when the ship reached Yokohama. Fights broke out between the two factions, and one man was so seriously hurt that he had to be taken ashore to hospital in Japan.

Last night the ship's watchman was reported missing and a search disclosed his unconscious body rolled into the dark shadows of the wharf.

Another man was also knocked unconscious and two others were assaulted.

The master of the Jefferson called the U. S. Marshal in Shanghai who boarded the ship and held a parade, the four injured men identifying the seven who attacked them. The seven were arrested.—Reuter.

EARL OF CORK PASSES

ADMIRAL BOYLE TAKES TITLE

London, Oct. 16.

The death is announced to-day of the Earl of Cork and Orrery, aged 70. The heir to the Earldom is his cousin, Admiral Sir William Boyle, Commander-in-Chief of the Home Fleet since last year. *British Wireles.*

no miscarriage of justice," continued Mr. Justice Jackson.

NO MISDIRECTION.

Regarding the allegation of misdirection by the Trial Judge, the Court considered that the Trial Judge had dealt sufficiently fully with the defence as to leave no doubt in the minds of the jury what the actual defence was, and there was no misdirection on this point. It was not necessary to deal in detail with all the points of alleged misdirection, but the Court was satisfied that they were devoid of substance.

"In a lengthy summing-up, it is easy to pick out a word here or a phrase there for criticism but we have felt no difficulty in coming to a conclusion that there was no misdirection on any of these points, and we are satisfied that the manner in which the case was left to the jury was eminently fair in every respect. The appeal must therefore be dismissed," said Mr. Justice Jackson.

"We have confined our attention to the points at issue put before us and do not desire that our decision should in any way affect the strong recommendation for mercy made by the jury at the conclusion of the trial," the Court concluded.

Mr. Justice Hayden concurred.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

GENIUS BEGINS GREAT WORKS; LABOUR ALONE FINISHES THEM.—*Journal.*

A tea party in honour of the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe is to be given by the Indian Contingent of the H.K. Police Force at Lane Crawford's restaurant to-morrow, at 6.30 p.m.

While working aboard the liner President Wilson yesterday, a labourer, Ip Kam-shi, was struck by a falling plank and was removed to the Kwong Wah Hospital for treatment.

Chau Wun, 31 years, unemployed, was charged with entering an unnumbered hut at Tung Tau village, and stealing a jacket, the property of a married woman named Tang Ying, 47 years, before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, and was sentenced to three months' hard labour. Defendant had a previous conviction for larceny.

After being sentenced to two months' hard labour by Mr. Hamilton in the Central Magistracy this morning for the theft of 7½ cabbages of wolfgram ore from the Victor Trading Company godown, Wanchai, a married woman, Li Mai, aged 21, pleaded that she had a child only a few days old. The Magistrate changed the sentence and bound her over in a bond of \$100 for a period of six months. Detective Sergeant Fletcher said the woman was employed by the complainant firm at a wage of \$1.20 per day.

SEA FIRE TRAGEDY FINDINGS

NEGLECTANCE ON MORRO CASTLE

SHIP'S OFFICERS DENOUNCED

(Special to "Telegraph")

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New York, Oct. 16. The United States Steamboat Inspection Board has issued a scathing report following its investigation of the Morro Castle disaster, denouncing Chief Officer Warm, acting master of the vessel, and his four subordinate deck officers.

The Board has ordered all five men to appear before it on October 29 and show cause why their licences should not be suspended or permanently revoked.

The Board's report, signed by two inspectors, gives no cause for the disaster and fixes no responsibility for the fire which claimed 130 lives, but records the opinion that had the Morro Castle stopped and sent out a wireless distress signal when the fire was discovered, the loss of life would very probably have been lessened.

The report further recalls that the crew, after lowering themselves in the ship's life-boats, did not heed the cries for assistance from the passengers.—*Reuter Special.*

CREW CRITICISED.

New York, Oct. 16.

The Steamboat Services Inspection Board, inquiring into the Morro Castle tragedy, has ordered Acting-Captain Warm and his four subordinate officers before it on October 29 to show cause why their licences should not be revoked for negligence.

Had the Morro Castle halted and an S.O.S. been flashed as soon as the fire was discovered, the casualties would not have been so great, the Board finds in its report. The crew is criticised severely for darning themselves and ignoring the helpless passengers.—*United Press.*

DUKE'S AUSTRALIAN TOUR

London, Oct. 16.

The Duke of Gloucester's visit to South Australia, where he has everywhere been received with enthusiastic demonstrations of loyalty ended to-day, when he left Adelaide for Melbourne in H.M.S. Sussex.—*British Wireles.*

IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong to-day:—Athena Queen, Tug Takoo, Tacoma, Oving, Toncourt, Lise, Varanger, Lyeemoon, Hydrangea, Katori Maru, Canton Maru, Kwanto Maru, Talma, Empress of Canada, Kutsang, Tjisadane, Ardent, Chungong, President Wilson, Halning, Kidderpore, Tatsuta Maru.

The P. and O. liner Comorin is due here from Shanghai at 6 a.m. on Friday.

Four cases of diphtheria with three deaths, five cases of typhoid with two deaths (one imported), one case of meningitis with one death, and 62 deaths from tuberculosis, were reported to the local health authorities last week. On Monday three cases of diphtheria were also reported.

Seen loitering near Gloucester Building in the early hours of yesterday morning, a Chinese, when searched by two detectives, was found to have a hammer head concealed in his girdle. The man, Chan Wah, was brought before Mr. Macfadyen this morning when he pleaded guilty to loitering and possession of the unlawful instrument and was fined \$50 or one month's hard labour. Det-Sgt. Fowle said defendant had been unemployed for two weeks.

Two cases of dog bites were reported to the police yesterday. A girl, Leung Mun-kei, aged seven years, of No. 1 Ying Wah Terrace, was sent to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment after being bitten by a dog owned by the occupant of house No. 7. The animal was sent to Kennedy Town for observation. The other case occurred in Kowloon City, the victim being a woman, Yip Ling-kei, of No. 162 Ha Yuen, Ling village. She was sent to the Kowloon Hospital and the dog to Maitland.

RADIO BROADCAST

RECITALS FROM THE STUDIO

EUROPEAN PROGRAMME

From ZBW on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles).

4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.

6-8.15 p.m. Children's Studio Concert.

7 p.m. London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations.

7.05-7.30 p.m. Orchestral.

Rosamundo—Ballot Music in G (Schubert).

Royal Albert Hall Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.

Eugen Orsini—Waltz (Tchakovsky).

Royal Opera Orchestra, Covent Garden, conducted by Eugene Goossens.

Prelude a L'Après-Midi d'un Faune (Debussy).

Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra conducted by Leopold Stokowski.

L'Apprenti Sorcier (The Sorcerer's Apprentice) (Paul Dukas).

Philharmonic-Symphony Orchestra of New York directed by Arturo Toscanini.

7.30-8 p.m. From the Studio.

A Recital by Captain O. P. Jock (Baritone).

Mr. A. W. Lorena (Pianoforte).

Pianoforte.

Minuet Pompadour. Anon.

Two Songs.

The Self-Banished. Blow.

Linden Lea. Vaughan Williams.

Pianoforte.

Whims. Schumann.

Song.

Stone-Cracker John. Eric Contes.

Pianoforte.

Nocturne. Lorena.

Pierette. Chambrade.

Two Songs.

The Dead Highwayman. Mercfield.

King Charles. White.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-8.50 p.m. From the Studio.

Selections by the "Empress of Canada" Orchestra directed by Mr. G. H. Redfern.

Programme.

March, Colonel Beggy, Alford.

Waltz, Reverie, Waldeufel.

Selection, Sounds from England.

arr. Langley.

Entr'acte.

(a) Love's Garden of Roses.

Haydn-Wood.

(b) Rose of Tralee, Glover.

(c) Love came calling, Zamecnik.

(d) In a Persian Market, Kotolyey.

8.50-9 p.m. The Lancer String Quartet.

Barcarolle—Transcription (Tchakovsky).

Gavotte—Transcription (Gluck).

Quartet No. 1 in D Major—Finale (Allegro, Ditterdorf).

9.30-10 p.m. From the Studio.

A Recital by Mrs. E. Snowdon-Jones (Soprano) accompanied at the piano by Mr. Frederick Mason, A.R.C.O., L.T.C.L.

Programme.

1. A Black Bird Singing (Michael Head).

2. Ships of Arcady (Michael Head).

3. I Know a Bank (Martin Shaw).

4. The Knotting Song (Purcell).

5. Conquered is Love ("Ottone") (Handel).

Recorded Violin Solo—Romanza Andante (No. 3 Spanisha Tazze) (Sarasate).

Bronislav Huberman.

1. Turn ye to Me (Old Highland Air).

2. On Wings of Song (Mendelssohn).

3. To Daisies (Quilter).

9.20-9.30 p.m.

A Selection of Wilfred Sanderson's Songs played by the Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards.

9.30 p.m.

Reuter Press Bulletins, London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.

9.35-9.55 p.m. From the Studio.

A Violoncello Recital by Yukichi Koh (accompanied by Professor E. Gould).

Programme.

1. Kol Nidre (Max Bruch).

2. Scherzo (Folter, Op. No. 2).

3. Adagio (Haydn).

4. Gavotte (Popper, Op. 3).

9.55-10.30 p.m. Dance Music.

Fox Trot—In the Court of Old King Cole.

Tango—Dreamy Serenade.

Fox Trot—Just Like Jack, Just Like Jill.

Fox Trot—Remember Me.

Fox Trot—A New Moon is Over my Shoulder from M.G.M.

Fox Trot—From Now on.

Fox Trot—As Long as I Live.

Fox Trot—Love thy Neighbour.

Tango—Cafe in Vienna.

Waltz—Love is a Song.

10.30 p.m.

Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby Mid.

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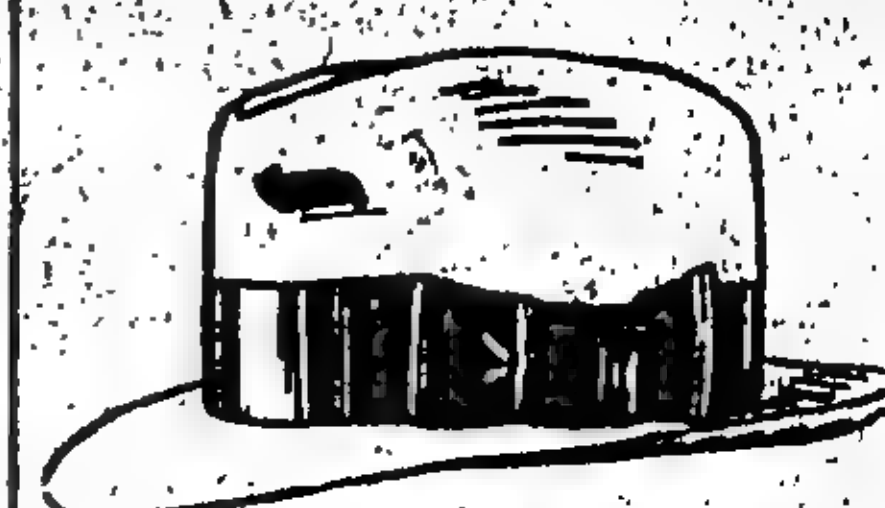
10.35 p.m. Close Down.

BRITISH FINANCES

EXPENDITURE STILL INCREASES

London, Oct. 16. Exchequer returns for the past week show that during the current financial year the total ordinary revenue, exclusive of self-balancing items, amounted at October 13 to £295,448,800, which is £307,474 less than the amount collected at the corresponding date last year.

Expenditure of the same period, exclusive of self-balancing items, was £362,822,413, which exceeds the amount expended at the corresponding date last year by £3,005,376.—*British Wireles.*



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FORMATION OF HONGKONG BADMINTON ASSOCIATION

THIS WEEK'S GREAT LONDON "DERBY"

Arsenal Meeting Tottenham At Highbury

COLOURFUL FOOTBALL PROGRAMME

Arsenal's ground records threaten to be shattered on Saturday, when the Highbury team of classical footballers meet Tottenham Hotspurs in the big London "Derby." And not only can attendance figures expect to go by the board; one can also confidently anticipate a brilliant exposition of the modern game of soccer. Both teams take the field fresh from their triumphs of last week, when the Arsenal humbled Manchester City and Spurs went to Roker Park and beat Sunderland.

At the moment the Arsenal are heading the league, and they will naturally be all out to retain that distinctive position. On the other hand here is obvious a rejuvenation in progress in the White Hart Lane camp, and if the Spurs get going they will take a lot of stopping.

Not that this is the only interesting match in the first division. There is Derby County's visit to Manchester, Preston's journey to Pompey (where Stoke last week scored an unexpected victory), and Grimsby's trip to Liverpool. Anything may happen in either of these games.

In the second division we find Bolton on foreign soil for the second Saturday in succession, and this time they are up against the redoubtable Hull City, a nasty nut for any team to crack. Blackpool, Brentford and Fulham enjoy home fixtures, and ought to win in each case, but Manchester United, who have enjoyed a fine run of success lately may find themselves up against it at Newcastle, where desperate efforts are being made to revive a team in the Blues.

There are a couple of tensors in the southern section of the Third Division. Charlton have to visit Coventry and Crystal Palace will be entertained by Clapton Orient. Coventry went down the drain last Saturday, but that was away, and on their own ground are much more formidable. If Charlton win here they will go a long way to establishing themselves as favourites for promotion.

Millwall and Reading are on their own pasture, as are Exeter,

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL IN THE SCHOOLS

F. A. To Distribute Instructional Book

The Football Association is to distribute more than 20,000 copies of an instructional book on football to public, secondary and preparatory schools throughout the country. This will be the first step in a campaign to influence schools to play Association football. The instructional book is entitled "Football—How to Succeed" and it is written for the National Union of Teachers by the Reverend K. R. G. Hunt, the former English International, and Cup Final medalist.

Essex County Football Association will experimentally appoint coaches within its area and if this proves satisfactory, coaches will then be available on application to schools elsewhere. An instructional film for use in the schools is also to be provided. Elementary schools are not barred from these benefits, but most of them are already members of the Schools Football Association.

and appear as safe as anybody for a couple of points apiece.

The outstanding engagement in the northern section is that between Halifax and Chester on the former's enclosure. I prefer the chances of Halifax. Tranmere and Wrexham look fairly safe, but what price Doncaster's chances at Walsall? Here's a sporting proposition to make complete those three away winners!

OUR "FORM" GUIDE

How Your Team Has Been Faring In League

The following table reveals how each team in the four divisions of the English league have fared to date, the results including their last five more matches up to yesterday.

The first figure in each case, of course, is that of the team concerned.

FIRST DIVISION.						THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).					
Birmingham	1-0	1-0	1-5	2-1	4-5	Aldershot	2-3	2-0	2-0	0-3	0-1
Derby C.	1-1	4-1	2-1	1-0	1-1	Brighton	1-2	0-0	4-1	3-0	0-0
Leeds	0-0	0-3	2-0	3-0	0-0	Bristol C.	2-2	1-0	0-2	0-1	3-1
Aston Villa	1-1	2-0	4-2	1-5	2-2	Cardiff	2-5	1-3	0-2	2-1	0-0
Chelsea	1-3	0-2	2-0	2-3	2-1	Clapton O.	0-5	4-0	1-1	4-0	1-1
Derby	0-1	0-2	1-2	1-1	2-3	Coventry	1-2	1-1	2-0	5-1	1-3
Leicester	1-1	1-3	0-2	2-2	0-0	Exeter	0-1	1-1	1-1	1-2	2-3
Liverpool	0-1	3-0	1-2	1-1	6-4	Gillingham	3-4	1-2	2-2	2-1	1-3
Porthmouth	0-0	2-1	2-1	1-1	0-1	Luton	1-2	1-1	2-6	2-0	1-0
Preston	2-2	2-0	2-4	0-1	0-0	Swindon	3-2	3-1	4-4	0-2	5-0
Wednesday	1-2	0-0	1-2	4-1	0-0	Crystal P.	2-1	4-1	2-0	2-2	3-1
Sunderland	1-1	1-4	2-0	1-1	1-2	Bristol R.	2-2	0-0	2-2	2-0	2-1
Tottenham	3-1	0-2	1-2	2-2	2-1	Watford	5-0	2-1	1-0	0-1	2-1
West Bromwich	3-4	4-2	2-3	3-3	2-3	Charlton	3-0	0-0	3-1	2-2	2-0
Wolves	3-2	1-2	4-2	1-4	3-2	Reading	3-1	4-1	0-1	0-1	3-3
Blackburn	2-0	0-1	0-1	3-3	2-2	Northampton	1-3	0-2	1-0	1-0	3-1
Arsenal	0-2	0-0	5-1	2-2	3-0	Newport	2-1	0-1	2-2	1-6	1-3
Grimsby	5-1	2-1	0-2	5-1	4-1	Torquay	5-2	0-0	5-2	3-2	1-2
Stoke	1-3	2-0	1-0	2-2	1-0	Southend	0-3	1-4	1-1	2-3	0-5
Huddersfield	1-5	2-4	0-2	4-1	1-2	Queen's P. R.	2-1	1-1	1-1	2-2	0-3
Everton	1-0	4-2	2-4	3-2	2-2	Bournemouth	1-1	1-4	0-1	1-2	1-3
Manchester C.	3-1	3-1	2-1	3-3	0-3	Millwall	4-5	0-1	1-3	1-5	1-1

SECOND DIVISION.						THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).					
Bradford	1-0	1-3	0-1	2-1	0-2	Accrington	2-0	0-4	2-4	3-1	1-1
Brenford	2-2	2-1	1-2	1-1	0-3	Crews	2-3	2-5	4-2	2-6	3-1
Burnley	0-0	4-1	1-3	1-2	0-2	Darlington	4-1	1-1	1-0	0-2	0-0
Bury	1-0	1-2	2-0	1-2	2-1	Gateshead	2-1	5-2	5-5	1-0	1-1
Fulham	1-2	4-1	0-0	2-1	4-0	Grimsby	1-1	1-1	1-1	1-1	1-1
Manchester U.	2-1	0-1	0-0	2-1	4-0	Lincoln	1-1	1-2	4-0	0-2	2-1
Nottingham	3-2	1-1	5-3	1-1	1-1	Rotherham	1-2	4-0	0-4	3-1	1-1
Oldham	0-2	3-2	0-4	2-0	0-4	Stockport	3-2	0-2	5-1	1-3	3-1
Port Vale	3-2	1-1	3-1	0-2	1-3	Tranmere	1-0	2-2	1-0	1-3	4-4
Swansea	0-1	1-1	1-3	2-4	0-0	Walsall	1-1	1-0	1-0	1-3	4-4
Barnsley	1-2	1-4	4-0	0-0	1-1	Wrexham	0-1	0-0	0-0	2-3	0-0
Notwich	3-0	1-1	1-1	1-1	1-1	Wigan	0-1	0-2	1-2	1-2	1-1
Blackburn	3-0	1-1	1-1	1-1	1-1	Doncaster	2-1	1-1	4-1	1-1	2-2
Plymouth	0-2	1-4	1-0	2-1	1-2	York	1-5	3-1	1-4	1-1	3-1
Bradford C.	0-3	1-3	1-2	1-2	1-2	Chester	5-1	2-0	6-1	0-2	0-0
Newcastle	2-0	0-3	1-1	1-1	3-2	Manfield	0-2	2-0	0-2	3-0	0-0
Bolton	0-1	3-1	2-0	4-3	2-3	Rochdale	0-1	0-0	0-0	2-0	0-0
Sheff. U.	2-0	3-1	0-0	1-1	1-1	Sheff. C.	0-1	0-1	0-1	2-0	0-0
Sheff. F.	0-0	3-3	0-2	1-1	3-0	South Shields	1-1	1-3	2-1	2-0	1-1
Hull	0-2	1-1	0-5	2-3	0-3	Carlisle	2-1	0-1	3-1	0-3	0-0
West Ham	4-0	1-2	2-1	0-4	2-0	Hartlepool	1-2	4-0	0-0	1-3	2-2
Wolves	0-4	3-1	2-1	2-1	3-2	Barrow	3-1	0-3	3-0	0-1	0-0

SECOND DIVISION.

Bradford	1-0	1-3	0-1	2-1	0-2	Accrington	2-0	0-4	2-4	3-1	1-1
Barnford	2-2	2-1	1-2	1-1	0-3	Crews	2-3	2-5	4-2	2-6	3-2
Burnley	0-0	4-1	1-3	1-2	0-2	Darlington	4-1	1-1	1-0	0-2	0-3
Bury	1-0	2-2	2-0	1-2	2-1	Sutton	1-1	5-2	1-5	1-0	1-1
Fulham	1-2	4-1	0-2	4-0	1-1	Halifax	1-1	2-1	0-1	3-2	2-1
Manchester U.	2-3	5-0	3-1	2-1	4-0	Lincoln	1-1	2-1	4-0	0-0	2-0
Notts F.	0-1	2-1	5-3	1-1	1-1	Rotherham	1-2	4-0	0-4	3-1	1-0
Oldham	0-2	3-2	0-4	2-0	0-4	Stockport	3-2	0-5	1-1	1-3	3-0
Port Vale	3-2	1-1	3-1	0-2	1-3	Tranmere	1-0	2-2	1-0	1-3	0-0
Swansea	0-1	1-1	1-3	3-4	2-0	Walsall	1-1	1-0	0-1	0-2	1-0
Barrow	1-2	1-4	4-0	0-3	1-1	Wrexham	0-1	5-0	1-6	2-3	0-1
Norwich	3-0	1-1	1-1	1-1	1-1	New Brighton	0-1	0-2	1-2	1-1	2-2
Southampton	3-0	1-1	1-1	1-1	1-1	Doncaster	2-1	1-1	4-1	1-1	2-0
Blackpool	2-2	1-4	1-0	2-1	2-1	York	1-5	3-1	1-4	3-1	2-3
Plymouth	0-3	1-3	1-2	1-2	1-2	Sheff. W.	5-1	2-0	6-1	0-2	0-3
Bradford C.	2-0	0-3	1-1	3-2	3-0	Manfield	0-2	2-0	0-3	3-0	0-1
Newcastle	0-1	3-1	2-0	4-3	2-3	Rochdale	2-4	0-1	1-0	0-2	1-0
Bolton	2-0	3-0	2-0	2-0	1-3	Sheff. U.	1-1	3-0	1-3	2-0	1-2
Sheff. U.	0-2	2-3	2-3	2-3	0-3	Carlisle	2-1	0-1	3-1	0-3	0-0
Notts C.	4-0	1-2	2-1	0-4	2-0	Hartlepool	1-2	4-0	0-1	1-3	2-2
Hull	0-4	3-1	2-1	2-1	3-2	Barrow	3-1	0-3	3-0	0-1	0-0

INTERNATIONAL SOCCER FLARE-UP THREAT

DANGER EMPHASISED BY MATCH AT CLAPTON

NEED FOR COMMON INTERPRETATION OF PLAYING RULES

(By F. M. Carruthers)

Unless something is done to reconcile the Continental with the British view of how football should be played I am afraid there is bound to be serious trouble.

The authorities must recognise the gravity of the present situation, but they are allowing matters to drift.

The position is a delicate one, but unless action is taken it will become worse, and there is a real fear that one day international relations will be imperilled.

Throughout the summer leaders of football have regarded with disdain the hickeries in cricket and have declared that such things could not possibly occur in their own game, but unless they put out the fire which is already smouldering it will burst alarmingly into flame.

I do not think there was an official who watched the match between Clapton Orient and the Sportklub Rapid of Vienna who was not concerned by much that happened.

AUSTRIANS SURPRISED.

The Austrian players were transparently ignorant of the conditions under which we expect the game to be played. When free kicks were given against them, some for bad fouls, according to our interpretation of the rules, they were mystified and in their own way asked, "What have I done wrong?"

The Continental conception of what is legitimate in defensive play is totally different from our own, and the difficulty arises because we may not say that we are right and they are wrong.

If British and European teams are to continue to meet there must be a better understanding of what is proper.

The chief divergence of view occurs in defensive measures. I doubt very much whether it is true that European players do not use the charge, but they rely mainly on a studied system of obstruction.

RUGBY TACKLES.

There was one case in which a Clapton Orient player was sent headlong as he went about to go after the ball when it was twenty yards away, and the Vienna player who "stopped" him could not understand why he was penalised.

Instances were common of men being pulled off the ball by the arm, and they were even tackled round the waist in Rugby fashion. It was obvious that the Austrians were accustomed to do these things, and that they did not see anything wrong in them.

In many important matters Continental football is different from our own, and although the rules are the same for both I do not see how it is possible for teams to play properly and fairly unless they are observed in the same spirit and with the same intention.

UNFORTUNATE.

There is not a club who have been on the Continent who do not accept the situation as I have stated it and appreciate the dangers.

I believe that Manchester City have made up their minds not to go on tour again, and I am convinced that until matters are adjusted it would be advisable for the matches to be suspended.

It is unfortunate that the Football Association are not members of the International Federation, who govern football in Europe and other countries abroad. They were driven out over the question of payment of salaries for "broken time." But the interests of all the countries are now so closely inter-linked that there ought to be some way of definitely settling the conditions under which all teams should play.

Arsenal Beaten At Blackburn

FIRST DEFEAT OF SEASON

London, Sept. 19.

The Arsenal were beaten for the first time this season at Ewood Park yesterday, where Blackburn Rovers scored twice without reply.

The Champions were not in their best form, probably due to the rain-soaked pitch. Their attacks lacked the usual precision of movement, and when there was shooting to be done the forwards seemed too hurried in their efforts.

Alex James was missed. The quick-tackling Blackburn halves had little difficulty in breaking up the Arsenal attacks, and they also found time to set their own forwards on the path to goal.

The Rovers always looked the more dangerous side, and although they did not score until 34 minutes had elapsed, with a little luck they might have had a substantial lead at the interval.

Bruton drove in a great shot, which cannoned against the body of Haggood, who had fallen back between the posts, and a few minutes later Talbot struck the crossbar with Moss beaten.

Apart from the absence of James, for whom Marshall deputised, the Arsenal rested Roberts and Coppinger, and John filled the vacancies at centre-half and left-half.

Twenty-five thousand spectators saw Blackburn Rovers exert heavy pressure from the kick-off. Bruton caused Haggood some anxiety with his rushes down the right wing, and twice, when the winger broke through, Moss did well to save.

Drake found difficulty in ending the attacks of Carter, the Rovers' centre-half, whenever Marshall gave him a usable pass, and it was left to Bastin to test Binns with a first-time shot from an acute angle.

After thirty-four minutes the Rovers took a deservingly lead when a fine concerted movement by their forwards gave Thompson chance to open the score.

It was not until near the end of the game that the Arsenal began to show their real form, and Binns, in the Blackburn goal, was kept busy when the visiting forwards made desperate efforts to save the match.

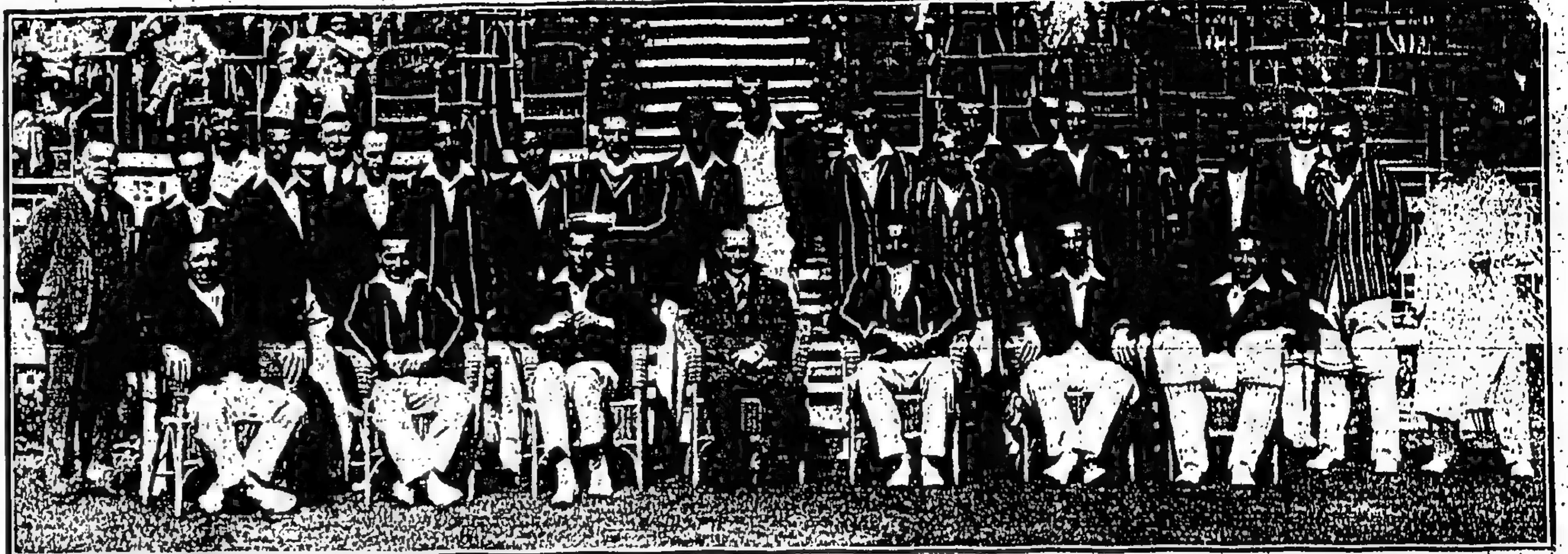
From a breakaway the Rovers increased their lead, again through Thompson.

THE CESAREWITCH

Entries Scratched For Big Race

London, Oct. 16.

Sans Espoir, Saint Regnard, Bunkawal and Labour Member have been scratched from the Cesarewitch Stakes, to be run to-morrow. It is now announced that G. Vatar will have the mount on Dejas Comba, Thompson will ride Frivolite II and A. Raves will be on Lania—Euler.



The group of Shanghai and Hongkong players who met on the Shanghai Cricket Club ground to battle for Interport honours. Shanghai eventually won comfortably by 270 runs, the Colony putting up an unexpectedly poor opposition in the face of some brilliant batting by L. F. Stokes and Kermani, and the bowling of "Pat" Madar, Leach and Stokes.

TO BEAT THE BOOK

(By "Robin")

HOME:—
Arsenal
Stoke
West Bromwich
Blackpool
Brentford
West Ham
Millwall
Reading
Exeter
Tranmere
Motherwell
St. Johnstone

AWAY:—
Bolton
Crystal P.
Rangers

DRAW:—
Leeds
Newcastle
Hull

OUR FORECAST For Saturday Programme

The following is the special Telegraph forecast for Saturday. Where teams are marked in heavy type they are expected to win, and where no such indication is given, a draw is anticipated.

FIRST DIVISION.

ARSENAL v Tottenham
Birmingham v Chelsea
BLACKBURN v Sunderland
Leeds v Everton
LIVERPOOL v Grimsby
MANCHESTER C. v Derby
Middlesbrough v Leicester
PORTSMOUTH v Preston
Wednesday v Wolves
STOKE v Aston V.
WEST BROMWICH v Huddersfield

SECOND DIVISION.

BLACKPOOL v Burnley
Bradford v SHEFFIELD U.
Brentford v Notts C.
Bury v Oldham
FULHAM v Bradford C.
Hull C. v Bolton
Newcastle v MANCHESTER U.
NORWICH v Port Vale
NOTTS F. v Southampton
Plymouth v Barnsley
WEST HAM v Swansea

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

BOURNEMOUTH v Aldershot
BRISTOL C. v Southend
Clapton O. v Crystal P.
Coventry v CHARLTON
Exeter v Luton
GILLINGHAM v Queen's P. R.
HULL A. v Bristol R.
Newport v Brighton
NORTHAMPTON v Swindon
READING v Torquay
Watford v Cardiff

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

Barrow v Stockport
CARLISLE v Gateshead
Chesterfield v Hartlepool
HALIFAX v Chester
LINCOLN v Darlington
Mansfield v Crewe
ROTHESHAM v Southport
ROCHDALE v Rangoon
TRANMERE v York
Walsall v DONCASTER
WREXHAM v New Brighton

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

AIRDRIE v St. Mirren
Clyde v Rangers
Dunfermline v Falkirk
FALKIRK v Hearts
HEARTS v Kilmarnock
KILMARNOCK v Motherwell
Motherwell v Celtic
Peebles v Queen's Park
QUEEN'S PARK v St. Johnstone
ST. JOHNSTONE v Albion

NEW STATUS FOR LOCAL BADMINTON

ASSOCIATION ESTABLISHED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE

DRAFT RULES AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED YESTERDAY

(By "Veritas")

Backed by the unanimous approval of club representatives, the Hongkong Badminton Association came into being yesterday evening, when, at the same time, the recently formed Badminton League, became extinct as a governing body.

The objects of the Association are to advance and safeguard the interests of badminton in the Colony, and to manage all championships and league competitions.

The game therefore enjoys the protection and assistance of a parent body, and the rapid progress of badminton here can be confidently anticipated. That clubs are keen was evidenced by the close attention paid to the draft regulations and rules and of the many constructive amendments put before the meeting and passed.

SAME OFFICIALS.

Coincident with the formation of the Association, it was also agreed that the officials elected for the Badminton League should continue to hold office in the Association, and they are as follows:

President:—Rev. J. R. Higgins.
Vice-President:—Mr. D. H. Hazell.
Hon. Treasurer:—Mr. R. Kirkwood.
Hon. Secretary:—Mr. S. A. Gray.
Executive Committee:—Messrs. F. H. Kwok, R. H. Wong, E. de Souza, A. E. Collins, C. H. Summers, and Lee Kuan-yeu.

Mr. Dennis H. Hazell, president over yesterday's meeting held in the Board Room of the South China Morning Post, Ltd., the Rev. J. R. Higgins being unable to attend owing to a previous engagement.

VALUE OF AN ASSOCIATION. In proposing that a Badminton Association of Hongkong be formed, the chairman explained that the Executive Committee of the Badminton League had felt that a league in itself was too restricted in its activities and control, and that an Association, with its wider powers of administration was highly desirable.

It was also felt that such an Association would be in the best interests of the game in the Colony and could do more to foster it than a league, which beyond its own competition, could not operate with any authority.

Mr. S. Firth Bernard seconded, and the proposition was unanimously carried.

Then followed discussion on the draft rules as formulated by the Executive Committee of the League. These covered both the regulations of the Association and the rules to govern a league.

Asked to decide on the question of an annual affiliation fee, the meeting agreed that it should be \$10 for every club. This is naturally in addition to the entrance fees to participate in the league. The Association has also agreed to follow the rules of the recently formed International Badminton Federation, and in due time will

probably make application for affiliation to that body.

LEAGUE RULES. Chief rules concerning the league included the provision of new shuttles for every match, the shuttles to be a medium speed and complying with the regulations of the Federation. It was also decided to play a "round robin" system whereby every pair meets every pair one game of 21 points up. An amendment that teams should nominate first, second and third pairs and that these should play their opposites only, in the best of three games, was defeated.

Another important rule which met with approval was that giving permission to a player to play for a different club if his own club was entered only in one division, although he cannot, of course, play for more than one club in the same division.

A report was made to the meeting of the various courts inspected by the committee to determine whether they were fit for league matches, when it was announced that all, save one, appeared suitable. In that one case, arrangements would be made for the club's teams to play their home fixtures on opponents' courts.

Entries for the league are being invited forthwith, as it is hoped to have the competition started in November. To assist in the compiling of the fixtures, all clubs competing are asked to inform the Rev. J. R. Higgins of the week their courts are available. By this means home matches can be allocated to suit the convenience of the clubs.

RUGBY FOOTBALL

FINAL CLUB TRIAL TO-DAY

The third and final rugby trial of the Hongkong Football Club, before the opening of the season, will be held on the Club Ground at 5.15 p.m. to-day. In view of the game with the Navy on Saturday October 20, on the Club Ground at 4.30 p.m. all members are requested to turn out to-day.

The players have been divided into the following sides, and every one that turns up will be given a game. Colours:—G. P. Lammert, E. MacGregor, W. H. B. Tate, P. J. Gardner, K. Noble, J. Hunter, R. H. Griffiths, J. Hutchison, N. M. Macintosh, G. C. Moutrie, R. G. Castleton, S. H. Garrod, F. H. Bush, F. J. McGowan, G. A. Stewart, J. R. Ekins, M. W. Scott, M. S. Cumming, R. I. Cherrill.

Whites:—R. Goldman, J. J. Ferguson, W. H. B. Tate, L. G. Robertson, H. R. McGilchrist, W. Sharp, M. W. Turner, H. C. Meeko, S. H. Walker, W. E. Peers, H. O. Brumby, H. Bradford, W. F. Kerr, K.

SPORT ADVTs.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The NINTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 20th October, 1934, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, &c.

The Secretary's office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794) will close at 12 o'clock noon.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On No Protest will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

Tiffins are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Boy in advance. Telephone 21020.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price.

Bookmakers, The Tac Men, &c. will not be permitted to operate with in the Precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

By Order,
C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 15th October, 1934.

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CAMBRIDGE
RUGBY
PROSPECTSTWELVE BLUES IN
RESIDENCE

Cambridge will have 12 Rugby Blues in residence this term—a fact which may be a definite embarrassment to the skipper, W. J. Leather.

On the face of things, the vacancies will be for a centre-three-quarter, a full-back and a forward, but one will be surprised if it turns out quite like that. Inquiries may upset the idea and the captain has got to be prepared with reserves for all positions before he can consider himself safe. We should not happen, with so many to call upon, in any question of the side being stable.

G. W. Parker, the full-back, and W. G. S. Johnston, W. Wooler and K. C. Fyfe, of the three-quarters, remain. Fyfe and Johnston are strong players, but Wooler was lucky to get in last year, when his form fell below his promise as a schoolboy crupper for Wales.

C. W. Jones, the best fly-half Cambridge have had for many a year, broke a bone in one of his ankles in the first match in America, but he is quite sound again.

Seven of the pack which did so well at Twickenham remain: W. J. Leather, who should make a really good leader, A. M. Rees, who was played for Wales, R. O. Murray, who was picked for Scotland, but had to withdraw owing to knee trouble, which has now been put right, J. H. Howman, a big forward who may go a long way, J. R. C. Lord, a sound, if not spectacular, forward, C. D. Lobbie and J. M. Griffith.

For the vacancy of scrum-half J. R. Stewart and R. D. Heurn are the pick of the seniors, but a good Freshman might have a chance here. R. T. S. Norwood may be regarded as the best of the known reserve wingers, and both P. L. Candler and A. McIntyre are likely to be considered for the centre. Candler is really a fly-half and a useful man to have in reserve if anything should happen to Cliff Jones.

There is no shortage of good reserve forwards. Both P. R. Bowring and H. P. Dinwiddie have been in the running for a couple of seasons, whilst J. M. Lee, P. W. Seligman, H. K. Rosevear, M. S. Page, I. A. F. Craig and G. A. Braithwaite have all improved from time to time.

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CAPTAIN
EXONERATED

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course line, which he also estimated.

The President: Was it guess work?
Witness agreed that he arrived at the net by measuring the distance of his observed position on October 7 and 8, from the course line of his regular run.

The President: Your actual run was not charted?
Witness: We were making practically no headway. She would not steer and was just lying.

Witness added that he was south of track of the typhoon.

CAPT. TEAGUE'S EVIDENCE.
Capt. Teague was next called. He said he left Manila in command of the City of Cambridge on the afternoon of October 3 bound for Hongkong.

The barometer began to fall the next day and he received notice of a typhoon situated about 200 miles south-east of Luzon. He altered the course of the vessel accordingly. At 10 a.m. he was informed that the typhoon was crossing the north of Luzon immediately south of Aparri and was travelling west. He altered the course and reduced speed, the dead reckoning observation at noon showing his position at Latitude 16.35 North, Longitude 119.04 East.

He went west at slow speed to see if he could find an indication of the wind changes, the wind then being West-south-west, Force 8.

WENT AGROUND.
The wind continued to vary and the weather to worsen. He altered the course frequently. At 4 a.m. on October 6 the visibility was about a quarter of a mile and at 5.05 the ship went aground. The engines were stopped and then reversed, the ship swinging round from North 35 to North 16 west.

The first indication that the ship was aground was the helmsman's report that she would not steer. He then looked over the side and could see no motion of the ship. The Chief Officer was in charge, but witness immediately went on to the bridge and had messages sent asking for salvage and assistance.

"I did not know where I was and I could give them no idea," added witness. It was not until about seven o'clock that he saw the reef. The ship was broadside on and he guessed they were on Pratas Reef. In the afternoon the visibility improved and he saw Pratas Island about ten miles away.

MASTER EXONERATED.
After the Court had adjourned for a short while to check up the course and the positions given in the evidence, Commander Hole said the Court considered that it would be a waste of time to take further evidence. The Court had checked up the positions, and had decided to give its finding.

The finding was as follows: "We find that the s.s. City of Cambridge, Official No. 144236 of Glasgow, of which Mr. Reginald, Elias Teague (Certificate of competency as extra Master, No. 007276 of Plymouth) was Captain, left Manila at 2.53 p.m. on October 3 on a voyage to Hongkong. On October 4, the ship ran into bad weather, Luzon and moving to the westward. The ship was navigated in accordance with the law of storms, instructions laid down both in the

RESCUE VESSELS NEAR
DISTRESSED H. K. TUG

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possibilities of salvaging the ship or her cargo.

First efforts to get alongside the City of Cambridge failed, but the tug remained at the scene until yesterday, when the weather became much worse and necessitated a move from the vicinity of the Reef.

WORSE WEATHER.
The tug is stated to have intended making for Hainan Island in order to seek shelter, but apparently she ran into even worse weather, with the result that she sent out distress signals.

The message received this morning, shortly after seven o'clock, stated that very bad weather was being encountered and the tug asked for assistance from any ships in the vicinity. Her position was then given at Lat. 19, Long. 114.30.

On receipt of the news locally, the naval authorities were informed, with the result that it was decided to despatch the mine-laying cruiser, H.M.S. Adventure, to the aid of the distressed tug. The Adventure left at 9.30 a.m.

LABOURING BADLY.

Two messages have been received by the naval authorities from the distressed tug. The first stated that she was in danger and asked that passing ships might stand by.

A later message was to the effect that the tug was labouring very heavily.

It is now known that the tug, left Manila at noon yesterday, in an effort to make for Hainan, but that she later encountered typhoon conditions. In addition to the Chinese crew, there are six Europeans aboard the little craft, including the master of the tug, the Dock Company's salvage expert, and Mr. Brayfield.

AIR MAILS

GROWING POPULARITY
AT HOME

London, Oct. 16.
During the quarter ended September 30, 71,220 pounds of letter air mails were carried from Hong Kong, as compared with 54,720 pounds in the corresponding quarter of 1933.

This is an increase of 30 per cent, and represents about \$30,000 more letters, British Wireless.

CONSTITUTION
APPROVEDLEGISLATIVE YUAN'S
MINOR CHANGES

Nanking, Oct. 16.
The Legislative Yuan, at its full meeting this afternoon, passed the third reading of the draft Constitution of the Chinese Republic, with minor changes of wording of certain passages.—Central News.

sailing directions and on the Admiralty Chart and finally struck a reef at 5.05 a.m. on October 6, which was later ascertained to be Pratas Reef. We find that Captain Teague navigated his ship in a seamanlike manner, allowing ample margin for leeway and took every precaution that it was possible to take for the safety of the ship, and we therefore adjudge him to be exonerated from all blame and we ascribe the cause of the casualty to the abnormal conditions and utterly unexpected experience at the time.

In handing back the certificate of Capt. Teague, the President said: "I take great pleasure in handing back to you your certificate, and I am glad to say that there is not a stain to your name."

Area
Cricket
LeagueR. A. S. C. BEAT
R. A. M. C.

At Sookunpo on Monday the R.A.S.C. easily defeated the R.A.M.C. by 180 runs. A feature of the game was the display of Capt. Welch who made a brilliant knock of 62 and also dismissed three of the opponents with excellent catches. Other R.A.S.C. players to shine were Cpl. Ballard with 57 and Dr. Clarke who took 3 wickets for no runs. The only R.A.M.C. player to stand up to the R.A.S.C. bowling was Pte. Haynes with 28. Detailed scores are appended below:

R. A. S. C.	
Cpl. Rogers, b Bonavia	21
L/Cpl. Grayford, b Millington	12
Capt. Welch, b Bonavia	62
Cpl. Ballard, b Millington	57
S/Sgt. Flood, b Bonavia	19
Dr. Clarke, b Millington	12
L/Cpl. Vaughan, not out	28
SQM8. Digby, c Colledge, b Saunders	1
Sgt. Trim, not out	11
L/Cpl. Cooper, did not bat	—
Pte. Forsyth, did not bat	—
Extras	19
(7 wks. dec.)	242

Bowling Analysis	
Millington	3 wickets for 71
Haynes	0 " 69
Bonavia	3 " 29
Colledge	0 " 35
Saunders	1 " 14
Snooks	0 " 5

R. A. M. C.	
Major Bonavia, b Ballard	10
Cpl. Colledge, b Welch, b Ballard	8
Pte. Haynes, b Welch, b Digby	28
Pte. Morris, b Welch, b Digby	0
Cpl. Millington, c Ballard, b Clarke	1
Pte. Snook, c Grayford, b Trim	1
Pte. Saunders, c Welch, b Ballard	0
Pte. Horne, b Clarke	0
Cpl. Meadows, b Clarke	0
Pte. Slater, not out	0
Extras	11
Total	62

Bowling Analysis	
Vaughan	0 wickets for 13
Ballard	3 " 16
Forsyth	0 " 18
Digby	2 " 2
Trim	1 " 1
Clarke	3 " 0

ADAMSON CUP

October Qualifying
Competition

C. L. Tatham, returning a card of 90-23-67 qualified for the Adamson Cup in the October qualifying competition at Fanning.

Other returns were—A. McKel, 77-8-69 and J. W. Franks 87-13-74.

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PROMINENT CHINESE

The members friends of Mr. Fu Yick-pang, J.P., prominent Hongkong merchant, will regret to learn that he was the victim of a motor accident when crossing Des Voeux Road Central opposite Exchange Building yesterday. He was knocked down by foreign-owned car and received injuries to his head and knee.

Despite his advanced age of 72, Mr. Fu was able to communicate his name and address to the chauffeur of the car who took him immediately to the Government Civil Hospital where he was attended by Dr. G. H. Thomas. Later in the day, Mr. Fu was removed to his residence in Bonham Road.

Mr. Fu Yick-pang is known for his services in connection with the Tung Wah Hospital and other charitable institutions. Recently he contributed \$50,000 to the Aberdeen Trade School. He is an uncle of Mr. Fu Ping-sheung, LL.D., Chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee of the Nanking Legislative Yuan.

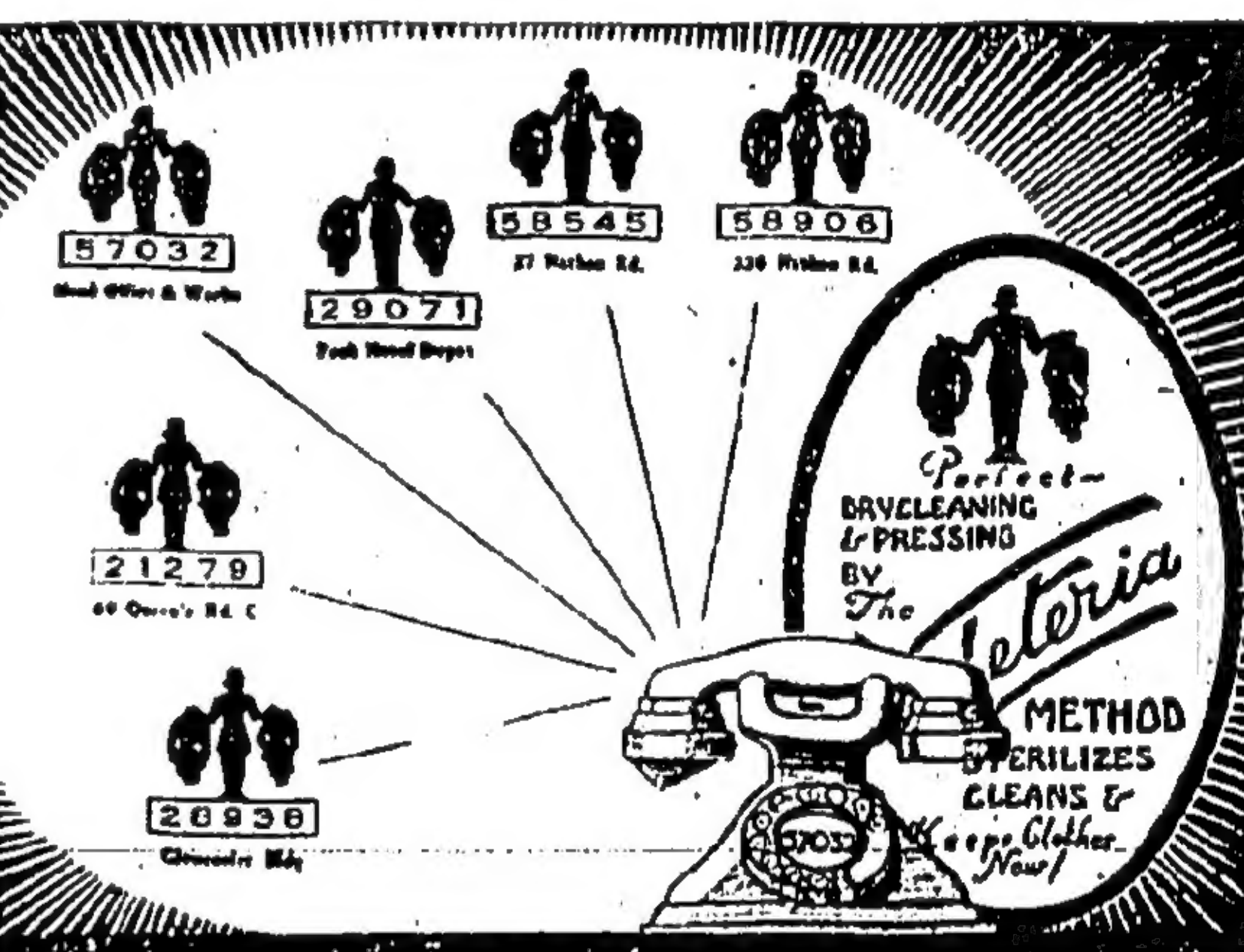
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By MABEL McELLIOTT

CHAPTER XXXII

Boots and Denis lunched at an inn hanging over a willow-circled pond where ducks swam lazily in the dappled water. Denis was at his most charming, not her distracted nor fully interested. He was solicitous for her comfort. But his long, lean brown hands lighted cigarette after cigarette and Boots noticed that he ate little. He seemed thinner; he had a fine-drawn look about his mouth. She had sent him a money order for \$10 the week before, her first payment against the debt caused by her illness and Russ's burial. He spoke of this gently. He hadn't written to acknowledge it, he said, because he didn't want to see her first. She was not to bother about that until things were better with her. It was simply a loan between friends. "How are you liking the work?" he wanted to know.

She shrugged. No one was to know how dreadful the long days at Lucy's seemed to her. It was all right, she said, a little tiring some times. It was a job; that was all. He gave her a thoughtful look. "I had something in mind," he said. "Remember Masterman, that publisher chap I talked to you about a year ago?"

She remembered. It had been when she was so desperate, so unhappy, not knowing which way to turn. "His firm has an outlet bookshop over on Eighth Street. Nice little place. Copper kettles and spinning wheels, (not sort of thing, you know?)"

She knew. She remembered passing by, stopping to read the titles on the bright jackets. "Well, the girl—one of the girls, I should say—is leaving in two weeks. She's a southerner. I think she's getting married. They want someone. When I was in Masterman's office the other day he was talking to someone on the telephone about it. I thought of you."

"But," she cried, her heart thudding painfully, happily at the thought, "maybe the job's already been taken. Oh, probably it has!"

It was cruel of Denis to tell her about it too late to do anything about it. Because of course there were always dozens of girls after jobs of the sort. So different from Lucy's with its three clock, and its eternal vigilance, the wary eyes of the supervisor, the steady ache in back and feet.

"I don't know. It's a chance anyhow. Worth looking into," Denis warmed to the idea. "Look, I'll call you to-morrow—or can I?"

"We're not supposed to have telephone calls at the store," she told him. "Can't I call you instead?"

That was all right, Denis said. She would call him about noon then? Good.

To-day he was a delightful companion, easy to talk to, interested, amusing. He told Lucy stories expertly; he flashed his remembered smile at her occasionally; and when the girl, relaxing in the pleasant atmosphere, responded in kind he laughed heartily at her sallies. Boots had never felt so gay, so witty and assured. She gave him brief sketches of some of the people at the store. She was repaid by the deep chuckle with which they were received.

"I don't believe a word of it," he said indolently when she had finished an imitation of Mr. Babcock, the floor manager, and his famous monologue about "Lacy Service."

"Oh, I assure you!" Boots began, protesting delightedly.

The other lunchers had drifted away. They were quite alone now in the big clean room with the square tables. Waiters drifted to and fro with trays of shining, empty glasses

and someone turned on a radio in an inner room. A nasal tenor wailed the refrain:

"You have ta-ken my heart . . ."

Suddenly all the bright scene revolved kaleidoscopically for the girl. She was dizzy; her palms were wet where was some magic in the air, something had sprung up between her and this lean, long-legged young man with the narrow dark eyes and the reluctantly won smile.

"Boots . . . Barbara . . ." he leaned toward her, his brown hand cupping her small white one. "Do you know you're most awfully pretty to-day?"

The mists cleared away; the landscape righted itself, and only her heart, pounding, pounding under the thin organdie of her blouse, testified to the wildness of the moment.

"Really?"

"This is nonsense, she reminded herself swiftly and sternly. She was Russ Lund's widow and Denis was in love with Kay Chillingford. He wasn't in the least interested in her. That speech he had just uttered was the merest pleasantry, the lightest compliment.

Confused, she gathered up her purse and gloves.

"We—we really ought to be getting back," she protested, looking vaguely about her.

Denis followed. Oh, come, he argued, how about swimming? How about going on down to Easthampton? The Cranes, his cousins, had been asking him to drop in for ages. They had bathhouses simply running over with extra bathing suits.

"I don't know," Boots told him, wavering. The prospect was enticing. The risk of this golden breezy afternoon with this man as against a long, lonely evening in her room. Wisdom counseled flight but she was young and inclination won.

She might as well enjoy all this she told herself recklessly as she stepped along the shaded, dipping road where every vista was a delight. To-morrow she would be back among the chintzes, neat in her thin black with the white collar, but tired, faded under her new sun-burn. She might as well have this day to remember.

The Cranes, a long-legged set of youngsters with blazing blue eyes and hooten laws, variously introduced as Jimmy, Kite and Leo, flung themselves upon Denis with enthusiasm.

"You brought a girl! Well," said Leo, surveying Boots with interest. Jimmy and Kite, the twins, announced that Mother was at the Hayfield's garden party. Nobody knew why or how she'd got there but somebody must call for her at seven. Meantime would Boots have a cocktail?

Would somebody get her a bathing suit?

She dressed in a big, airy cabana at the water's very edge. The heady tang of salt air was in her nostrils. No cocktail would have affected her like this. It was like wine.

Shyly she came out into the dazzling light. The others were variously disposed. Kite was lying on a canvas cot under a striped red and white umbrella. Leo was agitating a mammoth silver shaker. Denis, already in bathing kit, sat tailor-fashion on a rug at the edge of Kite's cot, conversing with his cousin in low tones. As Boots appeared he jumped to his feet.

"I say!" Leo shouted. "Doesn't she look simply swell?"

The white rubber suit with its scarf-like bodice indeed suited the delicious curves of Boots' slim body. She had left her hair free. It was like spun silk in the sunshine.

"First time for me this year," she said, taking the cushion Denis placed for her. She was suddenly almost

suffocated with shyness. It was absurd. All her life she had gone unconcernedly about in the briefest of casual swimming garments. Now, with Denis' eyes on her slim rounded shoulders, she felt self-conscious.

"Not really!" Kite drawled. "Don't you mind?"

She nodded. Yes, she hadn't realized until this moment how much she had minded being away from all this, the sea, and the white burning sand and the warm sun burning over all.

"Miss being a beach club girl?" She looked up, flushing, into Denis' keen eyes. He was uneasy. He had been reading her very thoughts.

"Oh, I do!" And yet—and yet she wasn't sure she meant it. She missed the ease and warm indolence of the life but she was proud to think she had stood on her own feet this year, without anyone's help or connivance. She had proved, at least, that she wasn't only a beach club girl—a waster—a parasite!

She let the sand slip through her fingers.

"Going in?" Denis had her arm. They were racing along the beach. They were caving the water with their bodies and the strong, remembered tang of salt was on her lips.

The beautiful clean strokes came back to her and she felt again the pure exhilaration of swimming. Oh, it was delicious to be back in her element of sun and air, and glittering sea after this long interlude, with Denis beside her.

Then she heard Jimmy shout from the water's edge. "Denis! Come along in. Look who's here!"

Boots flung the drops out of her eyes. There, elegant and poised, in flouting summer silks, stood Kay Chillingford.

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am sure you can recall many of your partners doing a loop-the-loop in the bidding, but it is the bidding feature that has put the interest in contract.

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Listen to his advice and heed his warnings. If you do not, your whole structure may crash. I like to-day's hand because it departs from book theories. Although South does not have three primary tricks, he is justified in opening the bidding with one heart. However, if he held a doubleton in spades and diamonds, he should pass originally.

Over the one heart bid, West correctly passes. He has a defensive type hand and, if he passes, the original bidder and his partner may start to figure each other for the high cards that he holds. While North does hold four hearts, there certainly is nothing constructive about his hand and he is justified in passing. East makes a good double, I think, with his hand.

As West cannot bid spades, his best response is one no trump to show the heart suit stopped. When East bids two diamonds, West's highly constructive bid of two no trump is proper.

East, with a singleton heart and the king of spades, which is probably under the original bidder's

might make the mistake of going to three no trump with West's hand, but they should bear in mind that their partner has doubled and has asked to have the hand signed off.

With the heart suit stopped only once and against South's original bid, West would be wrong in going to three no trump and should pass three diamonds.

Today's Contract Problem

South is playing the contract at four spades. West opens the queen of diamonds. Should the club or the heart finesse be taken, or should you look for another line of play?

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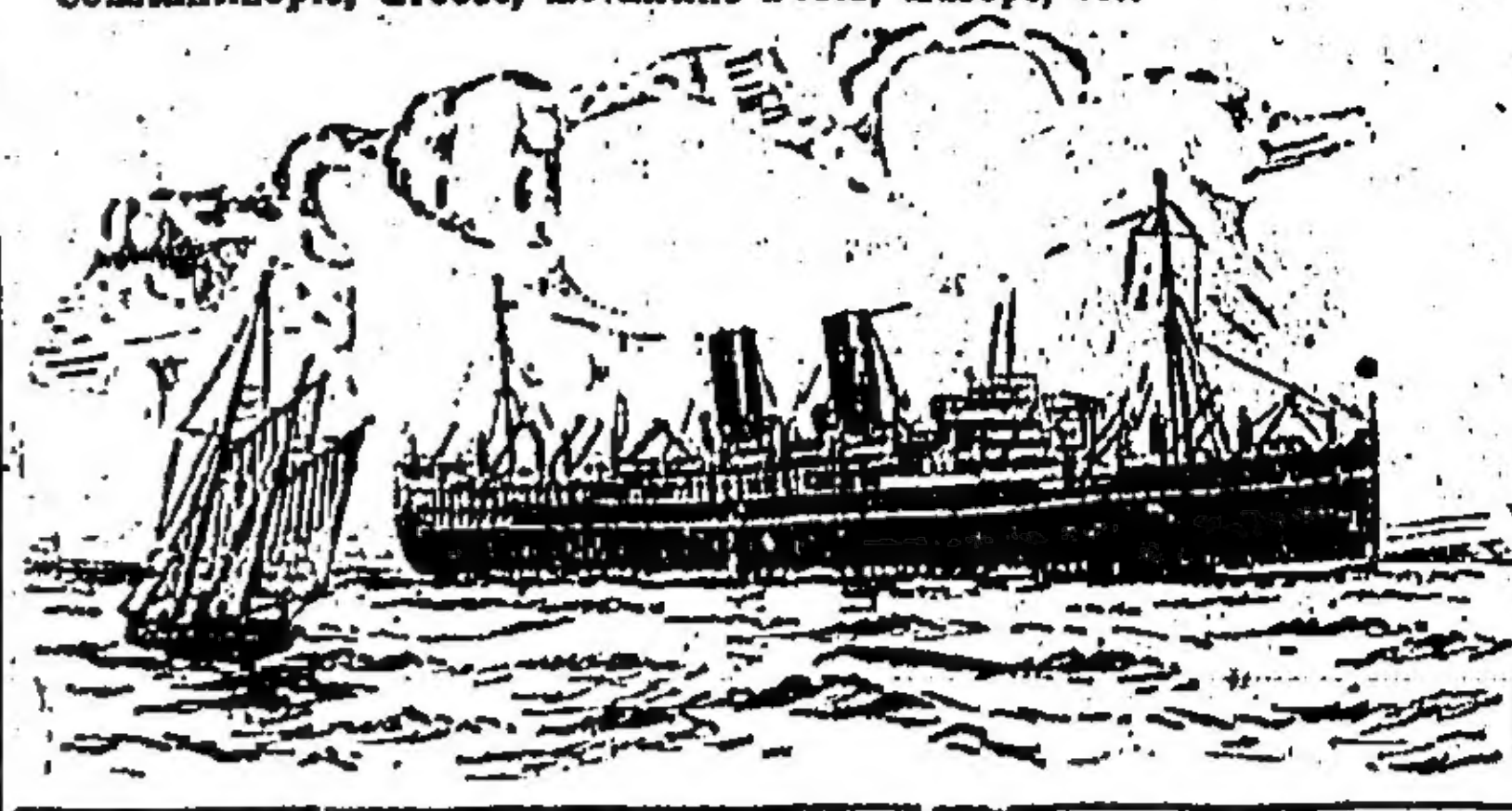
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Madame Gordon will give a recital of her Australian piano compositions, also Chinese pieces. Songs will be rendered by Wilfred O'Brien, including an Australian folk song, and saxophone solos will be played by Edward Segarra, the talented young Kowloon saxophonist. The first half of the concert will commence at 5.30, and tea will be served at 6 p.m.

The proceeds, after meeting expenses, will go to the Blind Girls' Home, the Naval Trust Fund and

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Washington, Oct. 16. The Democratic National Committee has suspended the compilation of the New Deal Emergency Relief Expenditures list for campaign purposes, apparently reflecting the Democratic belief that the November elections are already won, and with votes to spare.

The results of primaries everywhere seem to indicate that the Democrats are still in high favour with the country and where they stand a chance of losing, as against Senator La Follette and Mr. Upton Sinclair, they have tentatively supported these antagonistic candidates and made of them potential allies.—*United Press*.

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New York, Oct. 16. The Chicago Committee of Eight, representing the Baseball Writers' Association of America, named Dizzy Dean, of the St. Louis Cardinals, world champions, the most valuable player in the National League in 1934. Dean scored 78 of a possible 80 points in the balloting. Last year the most valuable player was Carl Hubbell.—*Reuter*.

Empire Link Young Artist funds. Tickets can be obtained at Anderson's and Tsang Fook, and tables may be reserved by ringing up the Peninsula Hotel.

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London, Oct. 16.

A scheme for extensive replanning of the approaches to the vast system of docks in the Port of London is announced by the Ministry of Transport.

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The cost will be shared between the Transport Ministry, the Port of London Authority, the London County Council and five local authorities.—*British Wireless*.

KING ALEXANDER'S FUNERAL

PRINCE GEORGE IN
BELGRADE

London, Oct. 16.

The Duke of Kent, who is representing King George at the funeral of King Alexander of Yugoslavia, Princess Marina and Prince and Princess Nicolas of Greece arrived at Belgrade to-day. They were received at the station by Prince Paul and Princess Olga, and proceeded to the Palace, where the young King Peter, his mother and Queen Marie of Rumania are in residence.

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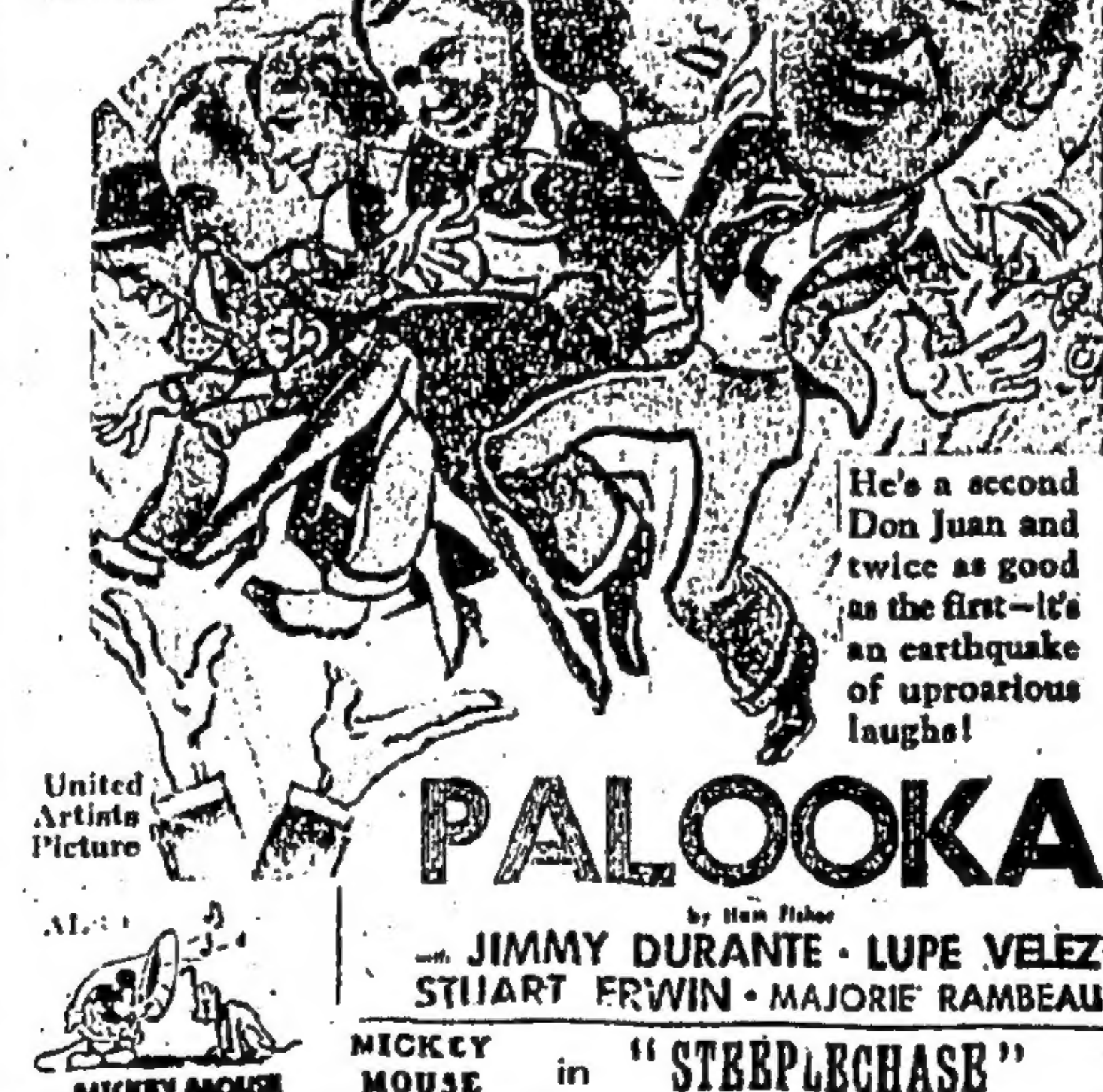
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